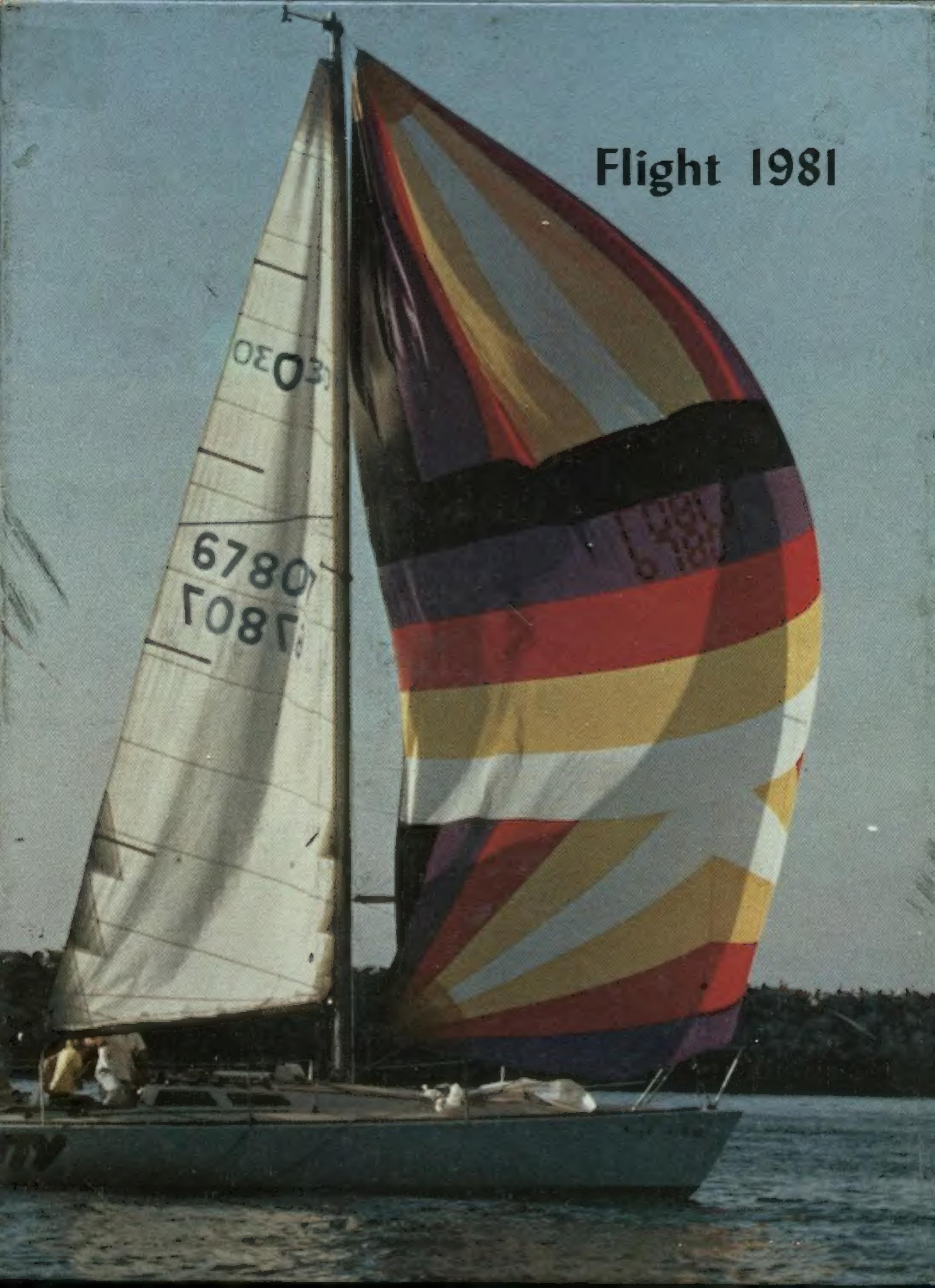


Flight 1981



CAROLYN Mathews

Carolyn,
Your definately the
nicest person in
Mattess class, even
though you don't do
your prequents (shame shame)
Have fun and do good
AT Pepperdine Next year
I hope you have a
terrific summer
and a good or great
(whichever you prefer) life. It's been really
nice knowing you. Have a great time at Pepperdine
Love Justus

Carolyn, I've come all
most of the people
who I think are really
nice and who I'm friendly
with are graduating this year
so far are graduate. You
feelings don't seem to be
conveyed too well. I wish you all
the best of luck. Your happiness and
success will come. You have a happy and
and sucessful life has friends always
and sucess. Carolyn, P.S. Don't forget my
and where you
need to talk. (757-485)

Carolyn, I'm really glad I
got to know you in
Spanish and I want to
thank you for help you
gave me. I'm sorry I
troubled you so
with my dumb ass
with H.S.
jean Spain

Carolyn, I'm sorry it wasnt
but serious for (Har! Har!)
that bad. I hope you
are very successful
after & I wish you success
deserve it. I wish
you all the happiness
in the world.

Love
Bob Rely

Carolyn,
A very sweet young lady who knows
"what's up" in life. Too bad we couldn't both
get "A's" in Geometry this year. Good Luck
in the future and don't lose faith.

Love,
Chauncey Doorn

CAROLYN

Sweet Kind Smiling,
Carolyn, who has never been
anything but kind to me. Good Luck
knowing you. Have a great time at Pepperdine

You life deserves to be great

Love, Brad

CAROLYN

Hi THERE CUZZ
WHAT UP DOE?
WELL DARLING IT'S BEEN
NICE YA KNOW? BUT
IT'S TIME TO LEAVE.
I'LL CHECK VID CHA
DURING THE SUMMER
CALL ME UP AND WELL
GO TO Hippo
TOGETHER YEA?
YEA? YEA.
Lavone

BYE

Cool breeze
299-5398

To Carolyn
Carolyn and sweetest lady's
a nice young lady's
who will always
remember. Have a nice
summer and much success
next year. Good luck to come

Carolyn,
Even though we only
known you for a short
time, I want to stay
friends forever.

I hope your
goal is achieved.

Keep God in
your heart &
success is sure
to come your
way.
Friends
forever

Vol Brown

K.I.T. 913-296-1387

8115 numero uno

KIT 913-4667
ANGELA WALKER
2365 GENEVIEVE
West Covina 91745

To Carolyn - It has been a pleasure knowing
you for these past years. You're a very nice
and sweet person. Say that way always. Have a
Bittern Summer. See ya. Karmyn Downs 292-2474

Carolyn
Carolyn and sweetest lady's
a nice young lady's
who will always
remember. Have a nice
summer and much success
next year. Good luck to come

4BP-446

TO CAROLYN
I WISH YOU
GOOD LUCK IN
NEXT BASEBALL
SEASON'S DRAFT
MAYBE THE
DODGERS WILL
PICK YOU.
GOODBYE
LYNDON
569-8012 ASHE
(LYN)

TO Carolyn,
a very nice
and sweet pers.
who I enjoyed
knowing, take care

Love Angela

reserved
for John

Carolyn you are
a wonderful young woman
that we know for a very
long time. When we went to
the same Elementary school we
had a lot of fun. Then you left me though I didn't really get to
know you, but it was certainly
for the entire three years of junior high in the same class. Wish you lots of
High. You checked in the same high in the class. Wish you lots of
School as I and even enrolled in my class. All the best of luck throughout your
life. Have the best of luck throughout your
and always remember me.

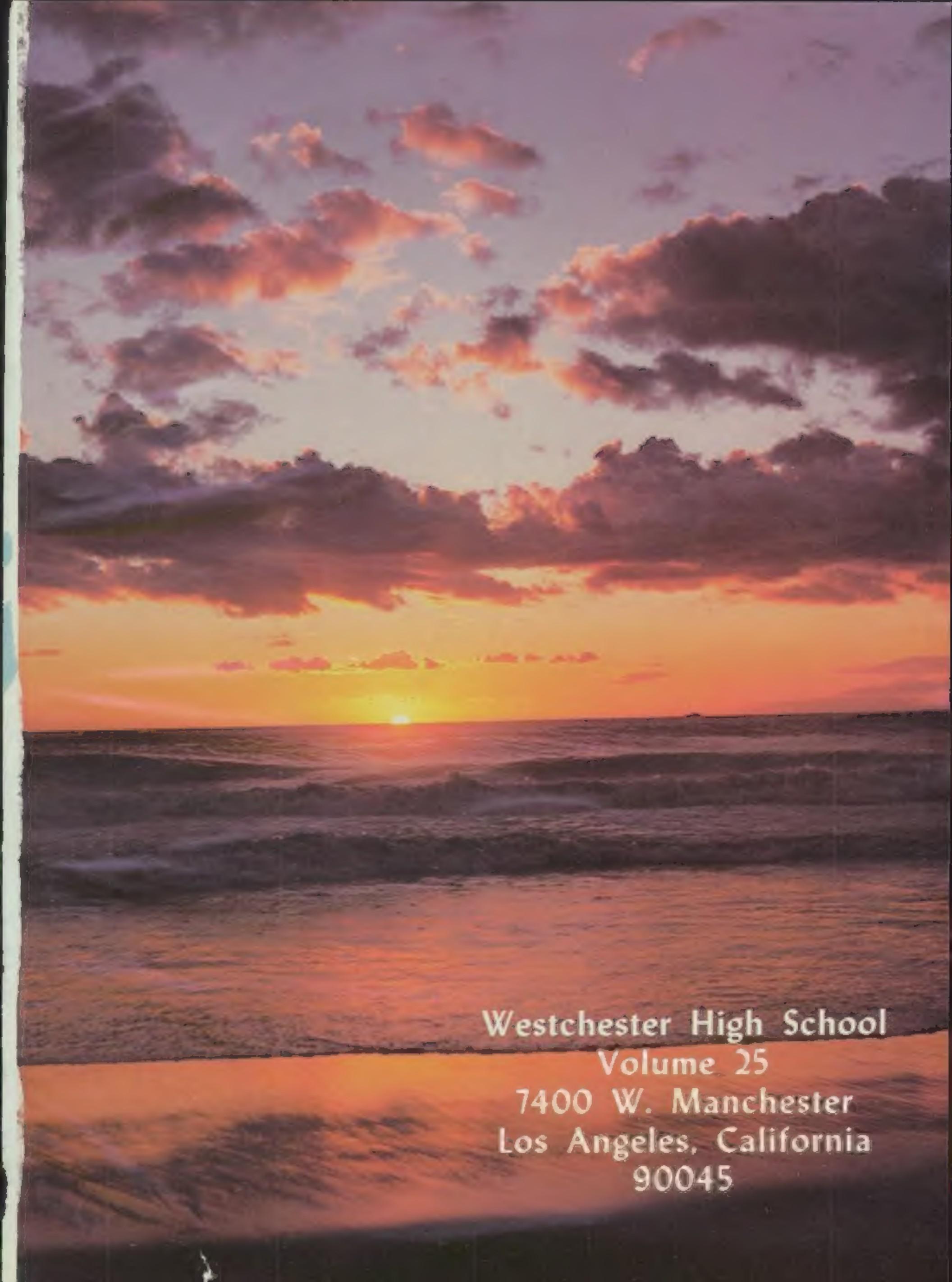
You are such a quiet
and nice person to know even
though I didn't really get to
know you, but it was certainly
in the class. Wish you lots of
future. God bless you.

Hi Carolyn.

Love,
I-Chuan

Love ya.
Joe Cathcart
Class of 81
Kit
758-5084

Carolyn
I have seen
one
ever since
you were born
and you will be
success and
happiness when
you realize my love
confidence
and super duper
I care a fantastic
team with you
please playing on the same
I've really been a
Carolyn,



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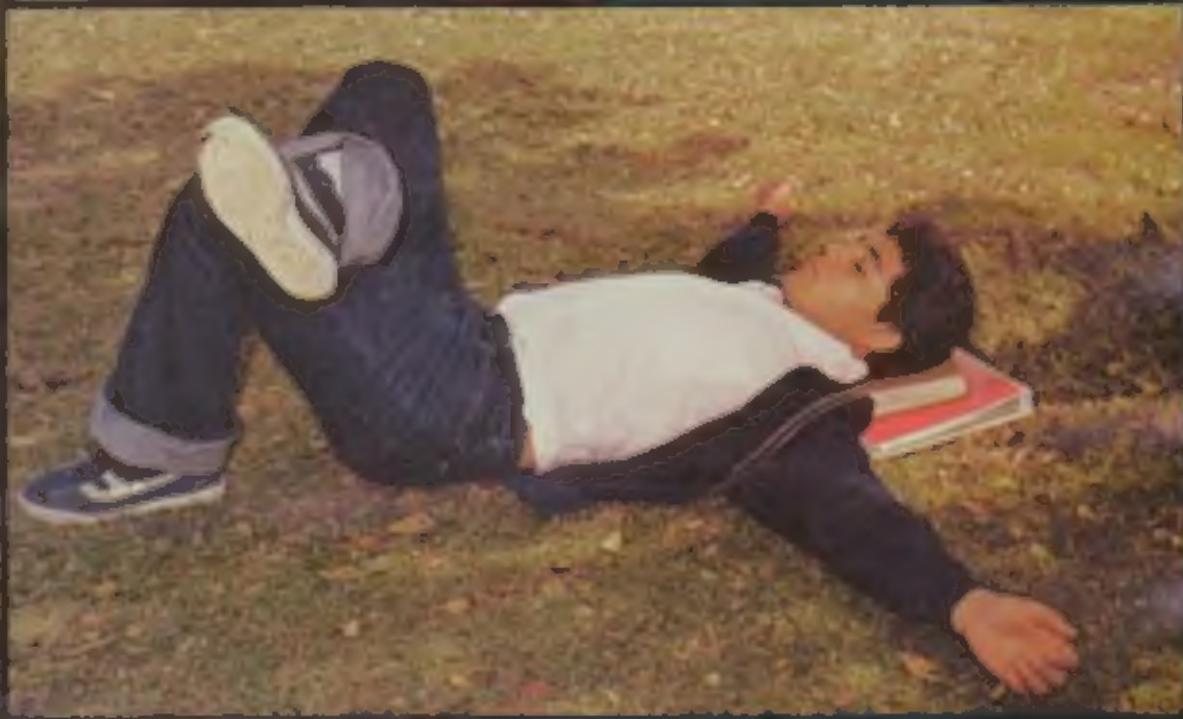




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Our Silver Anniversary

Westchester High School had its new beginning at a new site in 1955. As a product of exquisite imagination to some, Westchester began growing and gathering memories as the years passed. It saw the age of carefree living of the 50's student identity crisis, rebellions of the 60's, and hopes and dreams of the 70's. Now Westchester High School should expect to see greater new challenges and goals set for the 80's. We are proud to celebrate Westchester High School's 25th anniversary of achievements, hopes and challenges. These are all the symbols of the struggle for accomplishments that made Westchester one of the very best of its kind.

- Happy 25th Anniversary Westchester -



Young love



"Any minute now I should be dropping dead"



"You want to ride in my convertible?"



"We've got personality"



Love me tender

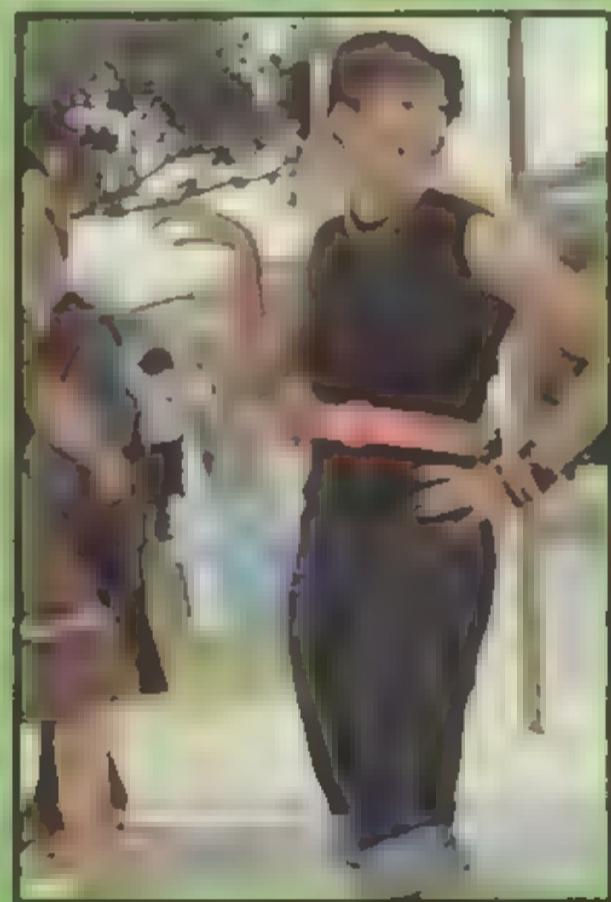
Gave Us The 50's



James Dean eat your heart out



I wanna be loved



Hey there



Gentlemen prefer ponytails?



School is Not Always a Breeze



That Lawrence Welk always cracks me up



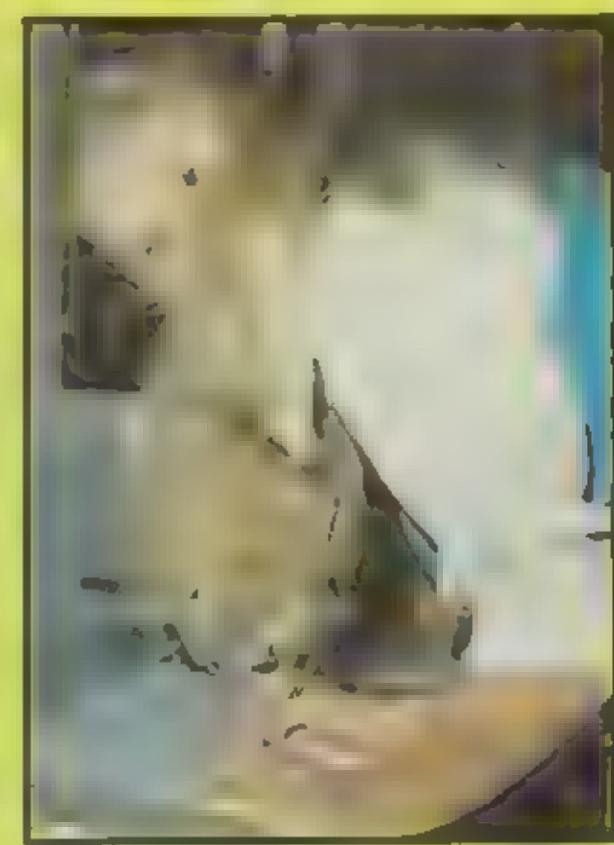
After I master circles, I'll start on squares



Three hands are better than two



I can't tell the cell from the nucleus!



The bearded lady



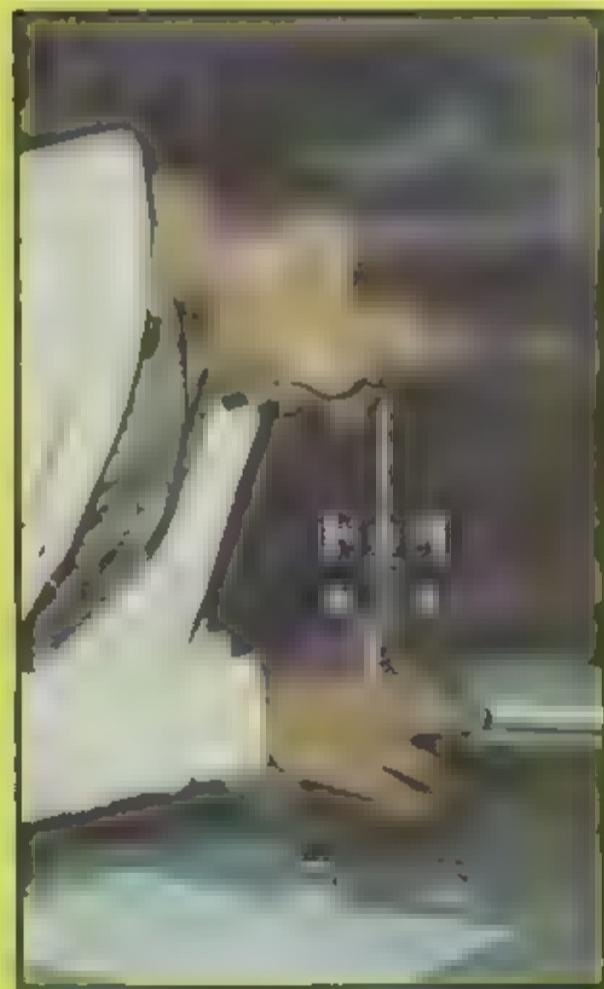
Have you hugged a tree today



I just couldn't afford to be late again



You did what?



Look at those little buggers go!



I can't even relate



Well, it started out as a cup

Another day, another test
We try so hard-we do our best

Teachers talking; what a bore!
Friends waving through an open door

Nutrition and lunch-our only break!
Soybean hamburgers instead of steak.

Reading, writing, passing notes
Freezing classrooms-winter coats.

Classwork, homework; never ending.
Candy grams always sending.

Books to read, papers to write,
From days end 'til dawns early light.

Shakespeare, Steinbeck, Hemingway.
Every week and every day.

Finally, realization dawning,
In between bouts of yawning.

Studying hard on the school bus
Achieve or fail, it's up to us.

Pam Arlt



What's that supposed to be, a boat?



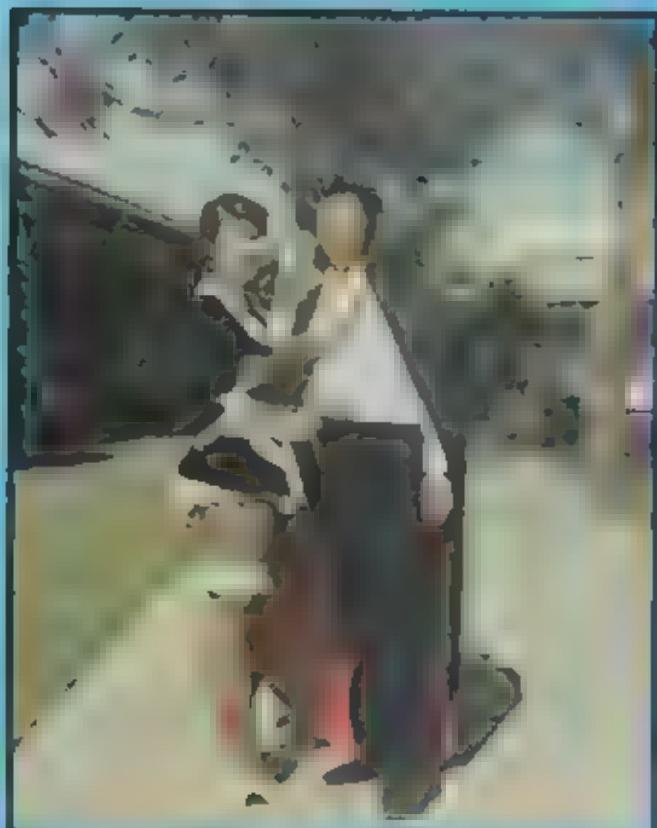
Not Just Anybody . . .



Oversleep??



Follow your nose



Lisa and George win best costume



Miss Hawaii '80



Ava toll ya not to bug me



Westchester gets a new principal

Goes To Westchester



Looked Pre-med



It takes all kinds



Police raid school



That's a bad habit



Let's see Who will be my next victim



SAMAR STUDENT



What a life saver



Sailing Through '81 Fashions



All those smiling faces



Am I not a man?



When I run out of fingers I count my braids



Do we have the look?



What look do we have?



Desperado cowgirl



We've got the look you want to know better



Urban schoolgirl



so innocent



Is this the gold at the end of the rainbow?



We shot JR III



S.O.S.

This years minor sports program was eliminated due to a deficit in the L.A. City School's budget. As a result, on October 14, 1980, the students of Westchester High School boycotted their classes and demonstrated peacefully over the entire campus. The demonstration was aired over all three major television stations and students still persisted to take action. KHJ-TV Channel 9 sponsored a twenty four hour telethon to raise badly needed money for our lost minor sports in the L.A. City School Districts. Although we were \$570 000 short of our goal the boycott proved to be a worthwhile event and the students of Westchester High School who took part in it can be proud they participated in this unforgettable event.



TAXI



And I thought this was gonna be exciting



Watch your language you're on TV



Do you see ME boycotting?



We've got their principal now let's move out!

Save Our Sports



BOYCOTT



\$3.10 an hour for this?



Going once, going twice, sold!



Going my way?



3 cuties, especially the one in the middle



They're coming to take us away ha ha



A Pre-game Parade



AFS students Marianne Neiens from Luxembourg, Lucy Fisher from Australia and Reiko Sato from Japan join in the festivities



Three cheers for our team

The homecoming festivities started with a parade of floats by various clubs and organizations. Participating in the parade were the Junior class steering committee, Girl's League, AFS, A Cappella Choir Lydians, and Knights and Ladies, who won the prize for best float.



Sunset Strip visits Westchester High





Varsity Cheerleaders Stacey Johnson, Sharon Jackson, Tuanya Reid, Beth Greene, Renee Taylor, Carla Garrett, and Carla Epting.



Go Go Go



Where are the clowns?



Cheerleaders raise spirit at a pep rally

Under the leadership of Varsity squad captain the command of Junior Varsity squad leaders Arlene I squads have completed one of their best years evi Adding spirit and color to the majority of WHS many various awards during the school year includin plus two "Excellent" trophies

Competition wise, the cheerleaders have upped the southern California area including the prestigiou City Pep Arts Championships

Sponsored by Phil Sandoval, who finished his Pepsters continue to improve year after year

It seems to me, that the cheerleaders don't thank them all for putting in such a tremendous am

We've Got Spirit



et 'em get 'em'

Stephanie Jackson along with co-captain Tuanya Reid plus
Imissity and Natalie Grant Westchester's cheerleading
ranks in the history of the school.
athletic events the Comet cheerleaders have earned
the highly touted "Spirit Stick" at cheerleading camp.

Their involvement to five various festivals throughout
Miss Drill Team USA Pageant and the Los Angeles

second year at the helm of the cheerleading squad the
receive enough praise said Sandoval. "I just wanted
point of time and effort for themselves and the school."



We've got spirit

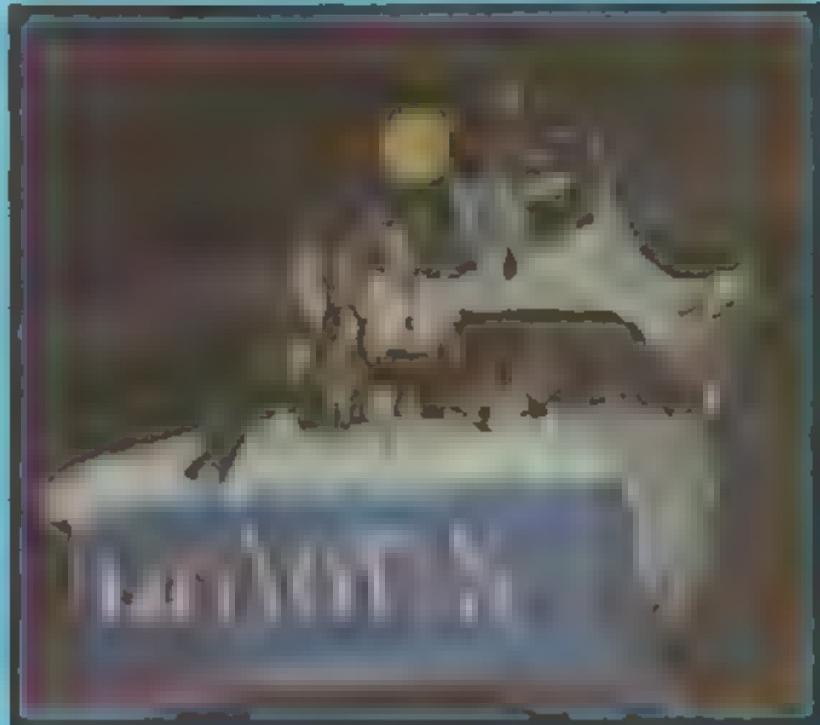


Jr. Varsity Cheerleaders Lisa Beags Natalie Grant Jackie Lezine Aline Broussard Rachel Aronoff
Liz Eakin Robin Calhoun

To Get The Ship Sailing



The Homecoming court leads the parade



"little angels?"



Knights and ladies and ladies of the night

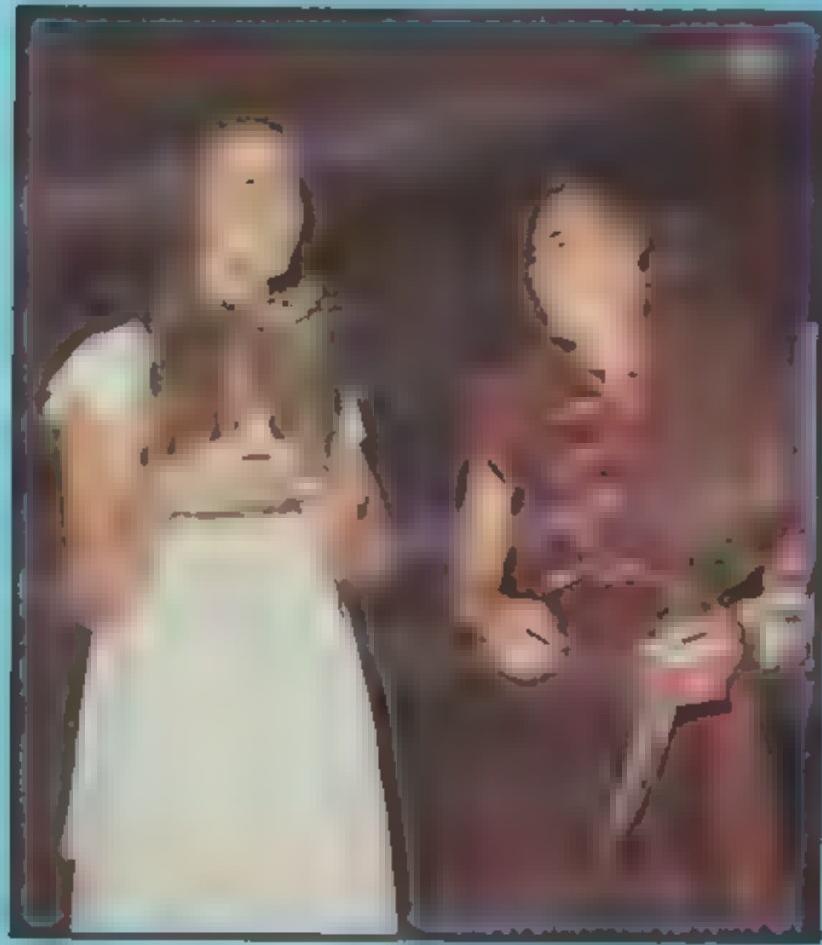


A Venice Beach party





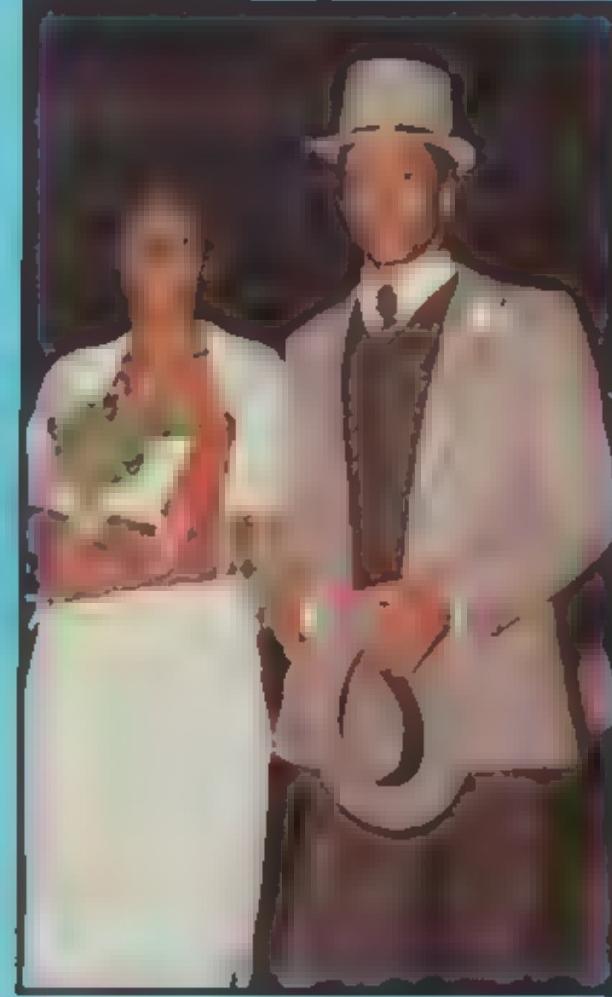
Teresa Amy and Queen Timmy
former wst for decision



Renee Taylor and Merry Binti share a laugh



The Homecoming court arrives with a flash



A night on the town

The evening of November 7 was Westchester High School's twenty fifth homecoming game. The theme of this year's homecoming celebration was "Love Los Angeles" in keeping with the 200th Anniversary of the city. Flag Captain Julie Kyamme was named 1980 Homecoming Queen and Peter Parr was named King.

The Homecoming Court consisted of Julie Kyamme and Richard Smith nominated by Drill Team, Merry Binti and Mike Strand by Girls Tennis, Renee Taylor and Robert Berry by Cheerleading Squad and Varsity Football, Teresa Amy and Patrick Hobbs by Letterman's Club and Cettergirls Society and Tom Hughes and Peter Parr by Varsity and Girls Basketball.

Besides the crowning of the Queen one of the highlights of the evening was a special halftime show put on by the comedette Drill Team and Flag squads. This show featured routine done to "Surfing USA" by the Beach Boys, "It's a Small World," "Whip It" by Devo, and "Fame" by Irene Cara.

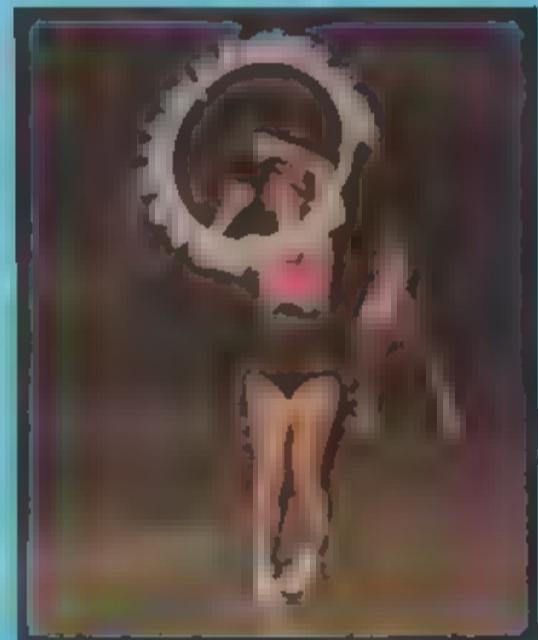
Keeping Our Spirits High



en Short
r Linda
ngel Tim
OW Pat
ia Strock
Captain:
Garrett
RD ROW
Men Bean
Evelyn Chennault, Lori Okamoto, Vicki Vasek, Lisa Tarnoff, Senita Gringen, Marguerite Lewis, Marguerite George, Jen Marie Gross, Valerie Woodhaus, Sandy Brunner, Tall Flag, FOURTH ROW: Renee Theis, Tall Flag, Marya Water, Amy Plotnik, Valda Ledford, Raylene Myerson, Allison Barr, Jamie Atherton, Dina Brown, Danielle Dulam, Charisse Clayton, Shania Goode, Lisa Obern, Zena Smith, Linda May, Lisa Williams, Danielle Lindmark, BLACK ROW: Lisa Mobdy, Tall Flag, Jenn Eckberg, Vera Kaplan, Robin Shannon, Judy Meyer, Lori Rucka, Tina Ander, Cindy Morton, Prusa Taylor, Daphne Bravale, Lisa Paul, Ann Wotton, Valerie Johnson, Jennifer Ramsover, Alysen Woody, Portia Johnson, Rhonda Fortner, Tall Flag, Advisors: Majorie Carlson, Carroll Klatte, and Leroy Nakamura



Yeah Short flags



Ring around the rosy



Hut two three four

Whip it



Comedette Drill Team



Had Had the gang all here



Here comes Westchester



There goes tall flags



Bottom Row L to R: Kim Melby, Vick Braud, Chirsy Dean, Short Flag, Meissa Huligr
Flag, Kelly Coleman, Short Flag, Historian, Mickey Mathews, Short Flag, Treasure
Campbell, Maprairie, Julie Evanson, Short Flag Captain, Isabell Matrete, Short Flag
Short Flag, Jenifer Wecconin, Short Flag, Karen White, Bridgette Bowes, SECOND
Row: Le Flag, Jenifer Soles, Syndee Hill, Valerie Evans, Andrea Williams, Mart
Secretary, Gitterer, Wendy Becker, Tall Flag captain, Janet Reynolds (Drill Team
Sally Human Dr. Team co-captain, Cristy Nelson, Chaplin, Kimberly Clark, Jan
Ann Alford, Dennis Wren, Lynne Reeves, Jenifer Hauge, Glenda Price, Tall Flag, 100
Carolyn Gerhardt, Tall Flag, Laura Wenz, Kady High, sagui Mathew, Tracy Ponting, Mc



JAP

Scenes From The Big Game



OOPS



We're moving down that line



Dom-pa-pa



The band is back!



The faculty gets into the spirit



Are we living again?



Go big red



Don't look too excited now



Go big red



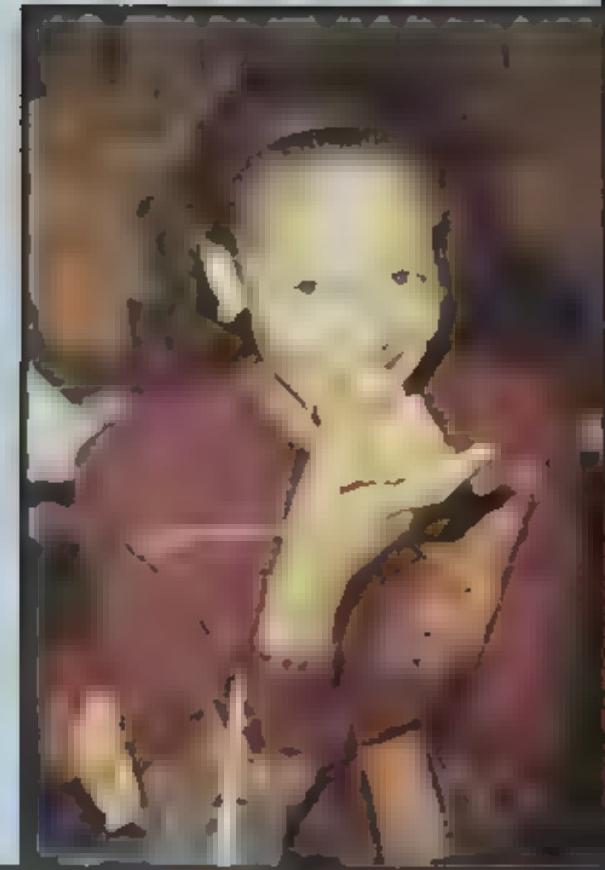
Seniors

Anchors Away

"Good-bye" is not an ending
when you know that people care.
For miles may come between you
but warm thoughts are always
there . . .

"Good-bye" is not an ending
but a different start for you.
A time for making brand-new
friends
and seeing dreams come true . . .
"Good-bye" is not an ending,
for you'll find along life's way,
Within your heart you'll always
have
a part of yesterday.

Amanda Bradley





Seniors

Westchester High School has had three years of change. In the first year, when the new principal was appointed, there were many changes in the school. The second year, the new principal was appointed, and the third year, the new principal was appointed. All three years have been years of change.

The students went through many changes in their senior year. The switch from a four period day to a five period day. It much confusion the first three weeks of school. There was a cut back on money from the school board which affected the students. The students were not allowed to go to the cafeteria during lunch time. Most students were relieved. Also because of problems with outsiders, the students were not allowed to go to the cafeteria during lunch time. This caused a lot of confusion and frustration among the students.

go out for lunch or to leave early for work. All in all the Class of '81 made the best of it and at the end of the year things didn't seem so bad.

The end of the school year brought with it the reality of graduation. The day that had once seemed so far away was now at hand. A week before graduation awards scholarships were given out and talk of college acceptance was over.

There is a sadness in graduating which we don't realize while we seem to go thru our last few days. It is too bad the '80-'81 year had to come to an end but all the members of the Class of '81 will never forget their years at Westchester High School.



Curtis Abajan



Larry Abele



Thomas Abeyta



Pronita Agarwala



Vivian Agia



Betty Akatcherin



Vicki Albertson



Heather Aldrich



Nina Alvera



Cornelius Allen



Jot Amster

Thee Eyes Have It



A large black and white photograph of two young people, Yvonne Carlson and Darryl Tanner, standing close together outdoors. They are both smiling and looking towards the camera. The background is a blurred outdoor setting with trees and possibly a building.

Yvonne Carlson and Darryl Tanner



Theresa Amy



Jim Anderson



Kristie Anderson

Class of '81

So Very Talented



Beth Greene and Jon Wada



Ronald Ansoorian



Corren Akarakian



Reed Arakaki



John Aras



Pam Arik



Denise Armstrong



Lyndon Ashe



Renee Avelino



Joanne Baetz



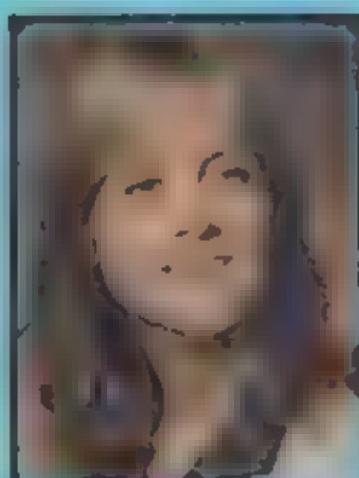
Bruce Bailey



Teresa Baird



Nashaan Baker



Theresa Baker



Donna Balfour

The Best Places To Go

Beach
Parties
Westwood
Hawaii
Magic Mountain
Movies
Flippers
Home

Class Name

Most Successful



Kroon Diver and Miguel Vazquez



Jack Ballan



Brad Ballard



Bruce Ballard



Merry Bantz



Martin Barcenas



LaVone Bennett



Deborah Baxter



Richard Bean



Wendy Becker



Susan Belina



Danya Bennett



Yolanda Benton



Robert Berry



Eric Biens



Greg Biseneks



Brian Blakelock

— Les Savants —



Roger Bloom



Bradley Bodle



Kurt Boedeker



Frances Bos



Kevin Boyd



Nathan Boyd

The Best Places To Eat

McDonalds

Home

Hank's

Great American Food
and Beverage Co.

El Torito's

Beni Hana's

Tito's

Fish Market



Susan Bradley



Janet Bradshaw

Most Kissable



Daphen Brazile



Charlotte Brooks



Deena Brooks



Candace Brown



Susan Brown



Valerie Brown



John LaPata and Keysha Marshall

Seniors Have The Spirit



Sandi Brunner



James Bush



Michael Byous



John Cadman



Rita Canny



Julio Cardonna



Yvonne Carlson



Kathleen Carnes



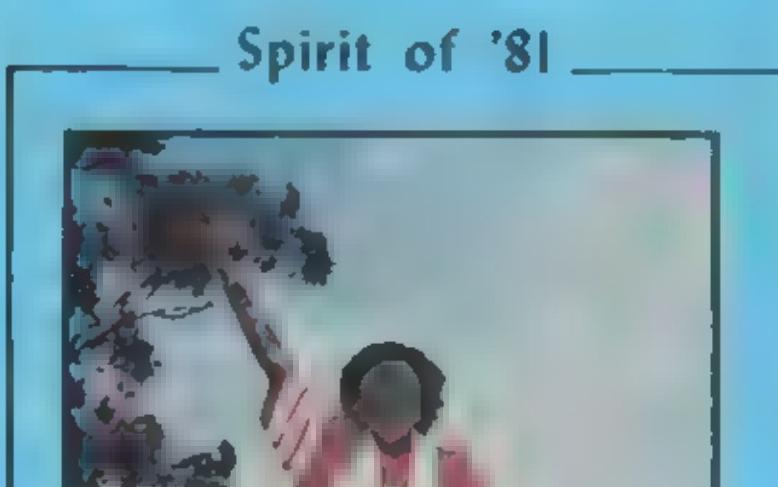
Robin Carson



Vince Carter



Joe Cathcart



Catherine Cavaliere



Diane Cavarella



Dean Cecere



Evelyn Chennault



Howard Choi

We're Number One

Class Sweethearts



Bob Smetherman and Jill Wheatley



Wendy Choi



Miriam Chu



Kevin Claseman



Ricardo Colon



Donald Contero



Ricardo Cox



Anna Cruz



Frank Cruz Aedo



James Curtis



Kelvin Davis



Robert Dean



Rita Del Toro



Janine DeWitty



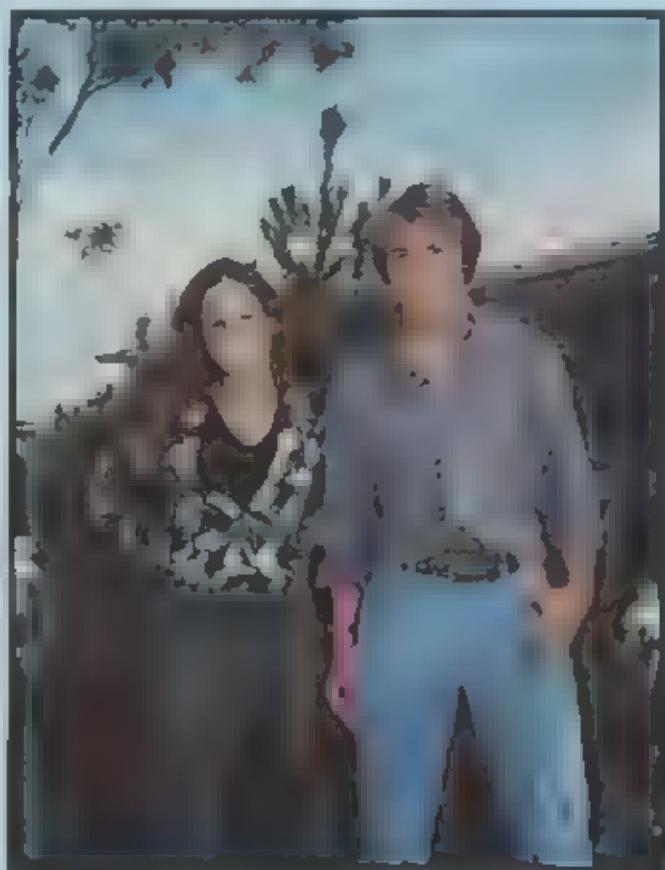
Pat Doherty

The Seniors' Favorite Food

Pizza
Steak 'n Baked Potatoes
Hamburger
Lobster
Chinese Food
Taco's
Lasagna
Mexican Food
Spaghetti

Class Colors

Super Smile



Andrea Ring and Mark Silence



Vera Domnikov



Stacy Douglas



Karmen Downs



Jesse Drake



Gia Dreger



Matt Drosch



Richard Duecos



David Duncan



Cynthia Dyer



Kevin Eckerman



Lisa Eldridge



Jon Elmendorf



Carla Epling



Beth Esau



Valerie Evans

#1 Radio Stations

KMET
KLOS
K-ACE
K-DAY
K-ROQ
K-WEST
KIQQ
KJLH
KUTE

—Light and Dark Blue—



William Farnum



Ian Farrell



Laora Faukner

Always Dressed Best



Candace Brown and Kevin Boyd



David Ferguson



JoAnne Ferguson



Eric Fillman



Lucy Fisher



Scott Flatland



Donna Foder



Una Forde



Lisa Francisco

Popular Songs in '81

Whip It

Sailing

Bounce to the Ounce

Another One Bites The Dust

Why Have I Lost You

Wide Receiver

Freebird



Lisa Franqui



Anita French



Debbie Freutel

Westchester High

Favorite Recording Artists

Led Zeppelin

The Who

Jacksons

Rolling Stones

Van Halen

Greatful Dead

Devo

Eagles



Ricardo Fribourg



Jeff Frierson



Carla Garrett



Margaret Garstka



Scott Gaston



Charon Gay



Bill Gerhardt



Amy Gilbreth



Gary Gillespie



Steve Gorman



Natalia Gray



Jim Anderson and Hope Gallop



Madolyn Green



Beth Greene



Danny Greenleaf

Looking Good

Never Shuts Up



Robert Grossberg



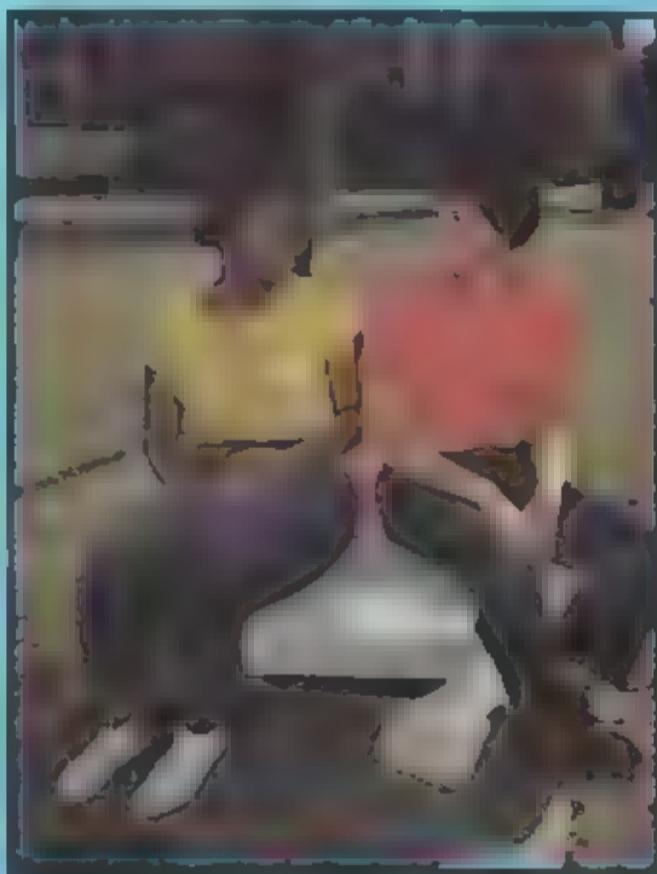
Brian Hall



Allen Han



David Handelman



Carlis Epting and Mark Robertson



Brett Hanson



Bridget Harper



Clarence Harris



Mary Harvey



Heidi Hayes



James Hed



Andrea Henry



Teri Herrington



Theresa Hill



Brent Hirsch



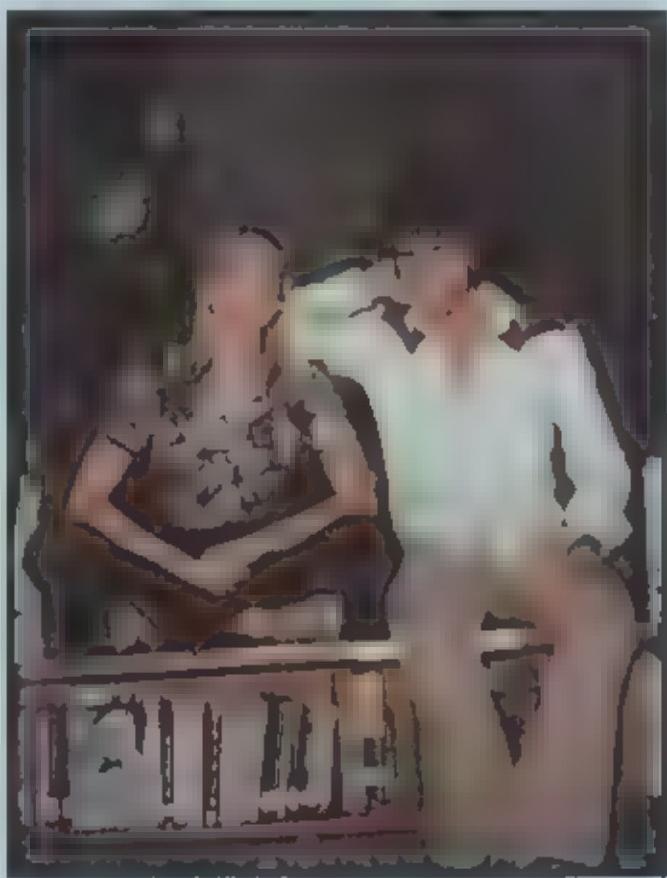
Patrick Hobbs



Randy Hobdy

Seniors of '81

The Smart Ones



Sue Beatty and Lee Sorenson



Brian Hoff



Devonne Begg



Kevoy Hollis



Greg Holloway



Neil Holmes



Sung Ho Hong



Doug Horton



Alma House



Karen Hubbard



Rhonda Huddleston



John Huszar



Un Sung Hsu



Toni Hughes



Herbert Hurley



Brian Ida



Norman Iseni

Sailing To New Horizons



Ron Isreal



Khaled Issa



Cindy Jackson

Favorite T.V. Shows

M*A*S*H

Benny Hill

Dallas

General Hospital

Chips

Saturday Night Live

Get Smart

60 Minutes

Soap



Darchard Jackson



Lisa Jackson



Sharon Jackson

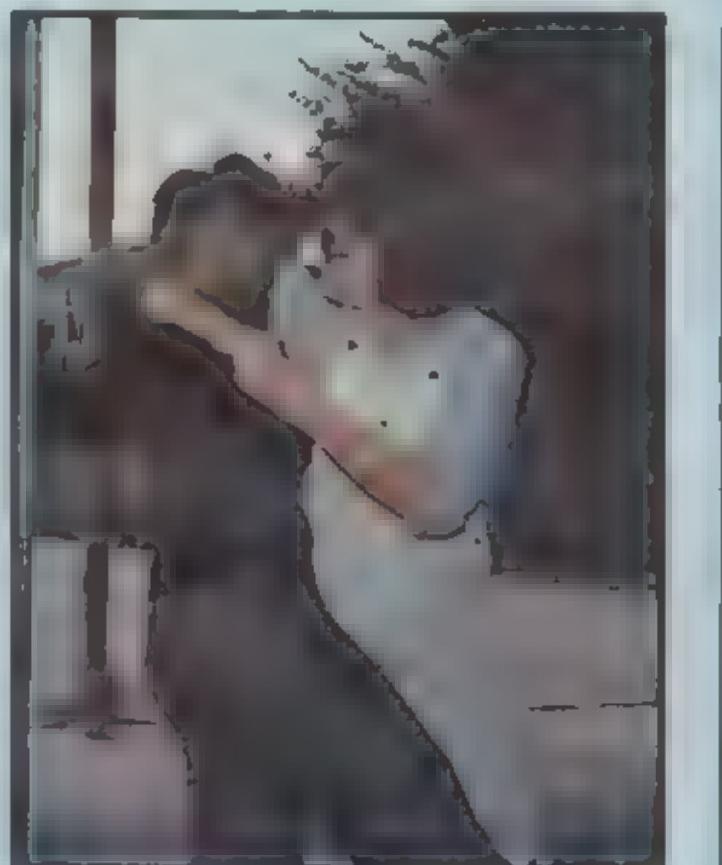


Jerry Jacob



Allen Jacobs

Class Crazies



Nashawn Baker and Roger Bloom



Anthony Jenkins



Andrea Johnson



Kimberly Johnson



Mayumi Jones



Rodney Johnson



Stacey Johnson

The Seniors Today



Lee Johnston



Stacie Joseph



Stephanie Kaufmann

Senior Pastimes
Party
Listen to radio
Girls
Surfing
Beach
Football



Michael Katz



Mike Kazden



Ken Kendall



Linda Kelley



Steve Kim



Jay King



Amy Kohler



Reginald King



Dana Klatte



Susan Kolligan



Mike Komer

—Are the Hope for Tomorrow—



Barry Knowles



Ken Koudson



Robert Kurahashi



Dawn Taylor and Karen Wong



Julie Kyamine



Larry Tally



Mary Landen



James Linley



John LaPata



Martin LaRouche



Bernard Lawrence



Robyn Lawrence



Theresa Lawrence



April LeBlanc



John Lee



Marguerite Lewis



Linwood Loatman

Today We Follow



Jessica Longworth



Leonard Lopez



Kimberly Lowe



Sheila Lowery



Michael Lucin



Sandra Lujan

Oh So Dependable



Julie Kvamme and Gary Gillespie



Barbara Lund



Richard Maldonada



Tracy Malloy



Lisa Marnach



Keysha Marshall

Favorite Drinks

Coke

Milk

7-Up

Dr. Pepper

O.J.



Julie Martin



Russell Martin



Robert Marvay

Tomorrow We Lead



Dwayne Mason



Lori Masuda



Carolyn Mathews



Mackey Mathews



Judy Maxey



Veronica Mayes



Robin Mazlo



Chris McBride



Natalie McCanelley



Katherine McDevitt



Stacie McDowell



Lisa MacFarlane



Michael McKnight



Peter Parr and Jill Wheatley



John McIntosh



Patricia McMullin



Ra Shawn McNeal

Special Times

Favorite Cars

Porsche
Corvette
Ferrari
450 SL
Mercedes
280 2X
BMW
Camaro
Mustang



Laura Mendoza



Angel Micheal



Doug Miller



Ron Miller



Charlene Mills



Pennie Millward



Tracey Miner



Gretchen Minetree



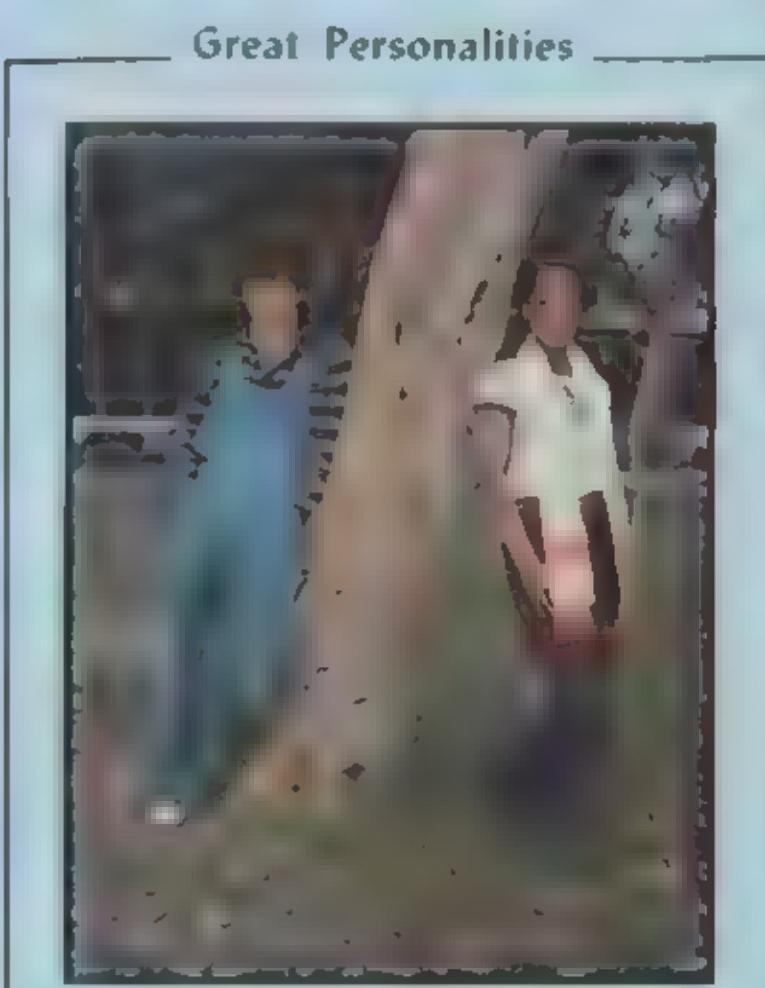
Ken Minshall



Tina Miyake



Greg Mizushima



Howard Choi and Stacey Johnson



Anthony Mollner



Mercedes Mondragon



Eva Montenegro

Special People



Rick Montoya



Elliot Moore



Michael Moore

Most Athletic



Bob Southerman and Renee Arevalo



Pam Motley



Vincent Muccia



Laura Mutry



DeJawn Nash



Julie Nassif



DeVonn Neal



Maternae Netcos



Melaka Negussie



Raymond Nelson



Mark Nishiya



Kathleen Nixon



Joaquin Noguera



Joe Notario

Come Sail Away



Josephine Nouh



Beth Owens



Juanita Pacheco



Troy Palmer



Alison Parr



Peter Parr



Karen Penn



Tracey Peoples



Gretchen Minetree and Brian Hell



Maria Oyos



Karen Parenteau



Tracy Patton



Alisa Peacock



Mike Penalver



Cherie Perelman



Tyra Petrie



Byron Phillips

Come Sail Away With Me



Bruce Phipps



Peggy Pierce



Sharon Pretsch

Favorite Actors

Clint Eastwood
Robert Redford
Burt Reynolds
Billy Dee Williams
Benny Hill
Dustin Hoffman
Erik Estrada
JR (Larry Hagman)



Aaron Pincus



Kim Polge



Zna Portlock



Mike Powell



Roshana Powers

Just Plain Nice



Tiffani Reed and Sung-hee Hong



Stuart Pratt



Paul Quilty



Najat Rabadi



Scott Rader



Mitchell Ragsdale



Deborah Ramey

Class of '81



Brian Reaves



Shannon Record



Heather Reid



Tuanya Reid



Janet Reynolds



Rhonda Richardson



Gretchen Riddick



James Riedinger



Bob Rigenbach

Come to a Football Game



Yet, they are very thriving.



Robert Riley



Andrea Ring



Susan Roach

Favorite Actress

- Jane Fonda
- Sally Fields
- Jane Kennedy
- Barbara Streisand
- Bo Derek
- Linda Carter
- Irene Cara



Robert Roberts



Mark Robertson

We Can Get It Done



Kelly Roddy



Joe Rodgers



Ana Romano



David Rose



Diane Rose



Kim Radtke



George Russo



Salvador Ruvalcaba



Manuel Saenzpardo



Mariko Sakai



Patty Sanchez



Silvia Sardinas



Rieko Sato



Diane and Martha Delatorre with friend Armon Rico



Stuart Scally



Jeff Schleien



Martin Schmidtler

Sailing Away . . .



Scott Schory



Susan Schroeder



Kathy Schwartz

Who would you take
to a deserted island?

Boyfriend
Bo Derek

Christopher Atkins
Billy Dee Williams
Alpha Beta Box Boys
Jane Kennedy
Girlfriend
Robert Redford



Darryl Sease



Danny Seda



Bill Sentlinger



Deborah Sheets



Pam Shields

Serious Moments



'Are you sure that's what you told him?'



Catherine Sidis



Mark Silence



Ellen Simon



Matt Skahill



Dan Skinner



Katie Skinner

On a Wave of Memories



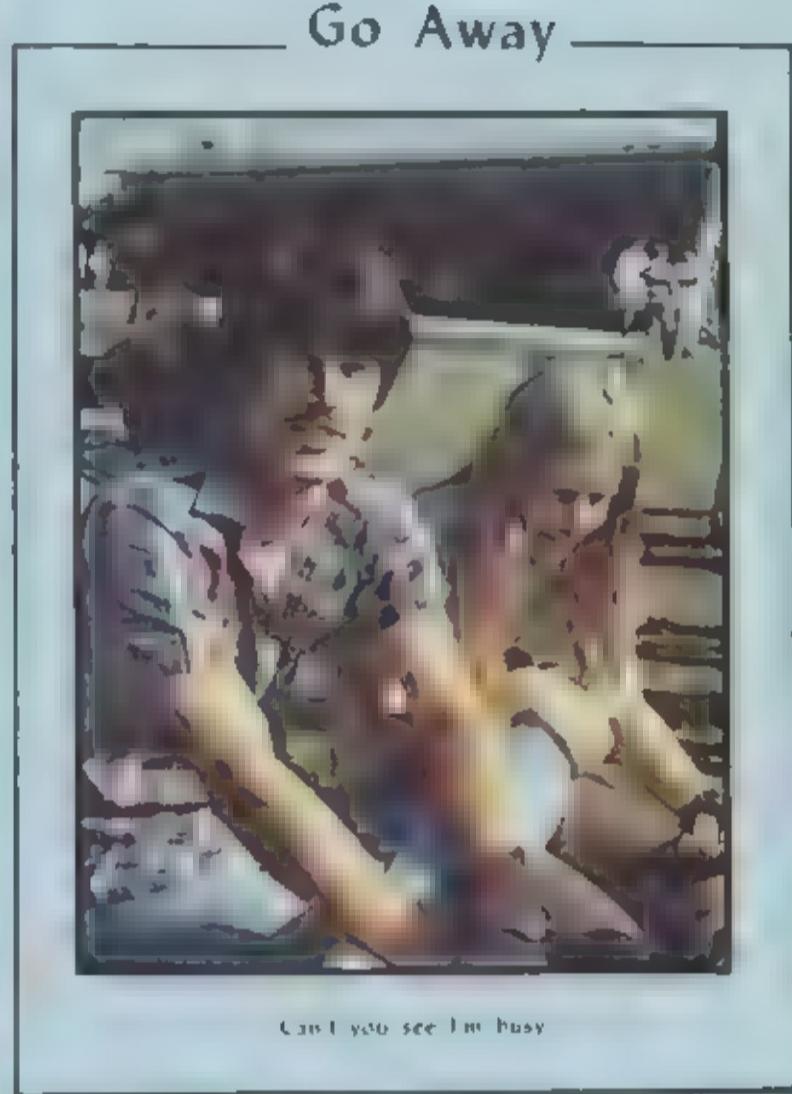
Nancy Slanchik



Warren Sledd



Don Smith



Fury Smith



Joseph Smith



Julie Smith



Richard Smith



Robert Smotherman



Derrick Sneat

Micheal Snodgrass



Scott Springer



Charles Spruck



Tim Stephens



Robin Steptoe



Kim Stevenson

Frank Stokes

You've Got The Look



Brenda Stoppel



Michael Strand



Pattie Strassburger



Albert Talton



John Tarraki



Darryl Tanner



Dawn Taylor



Paula Taylor



Renee Taylor



Laura Tell



Steve Tessier



Victor Thrash



Li Tieger



On second thought... maybe I won't go.

Slang of Westchester

Shine
Yeah Cuzz
What's Up
You Know That
Whoo-ya
Awesome
Queeb

Cool
Gell
Owning
Cosmic
Later
Hey Bro
Scenic



Susan Tokubo

That's All Together

Another Day



Jennifer Tucker



Andrew Vaicunas



We've been working on this for weeks.



Lon Turner



Lisa Tyler



Schene Vance



Laurie Varner



Catherine Vereege



Bill Via



Brigitte Victor



Monica Villagrana



Chuck Vincent



Steve Vosburgh



David Wada



Jon Wada



All Aboard



Robin Waddy

Alesia Walker

Dennis Walker



Frank Walker

Ralf Warminski

Lynne Warren

Craig Watson

Desmond Weathersby



Richard Webb

Mark Weise

David Weisman

Sharon Westcott

Jill Wheatley



William Wheeler

Linda Whitmyer

Alesia Williams

The Crest Kids

Anchors Away!



Gary Sings



FAME - want to live forever



Christy Willis



Don Wolter



Alex Wong



Diane Wong



Craig Wong



Tom Woodall



Jo Ellen Woolf



Adam Wright



Bob Zoller



Elouville Nusley



Ronald Chin



Cynthia Clawson



Robert Cox



Bennie Curtis



Anthony Fernandez

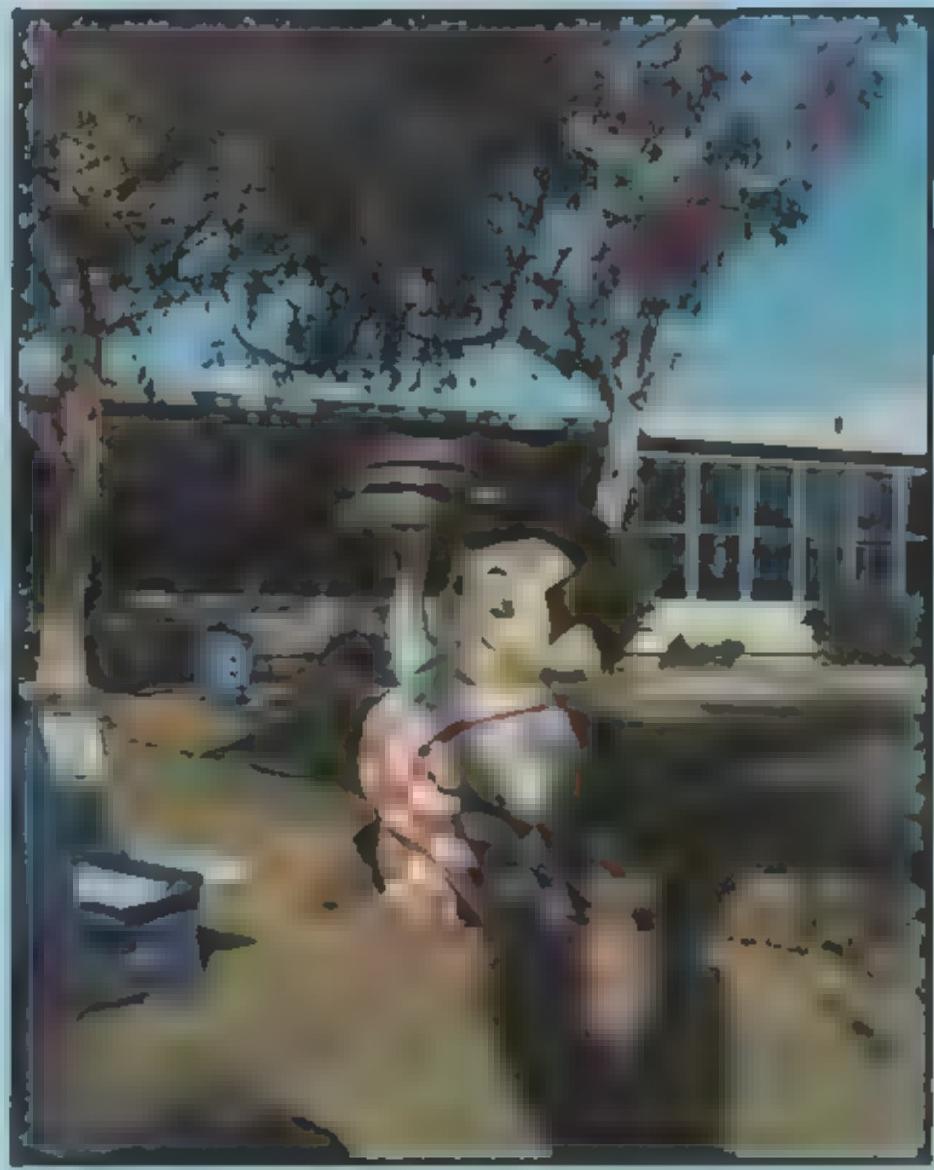
The Doors We Unlock Today . . .



He went that a way



Clones



Seniors show off class colors

"I'm a Big Boy now!"

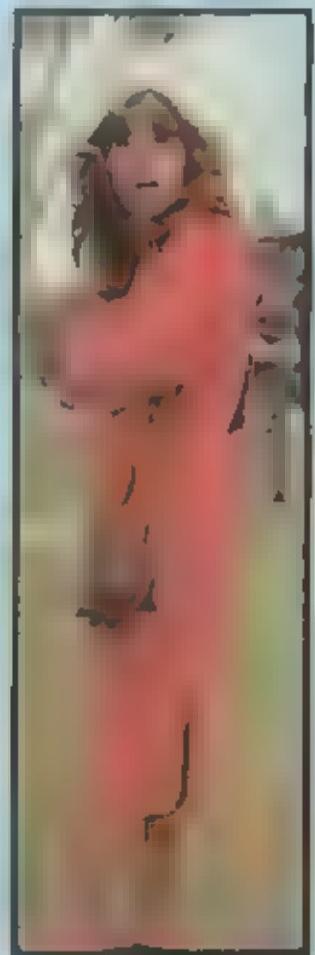
Are The Doors We Will Walk Through Tomorrow



"I made it through my first day."

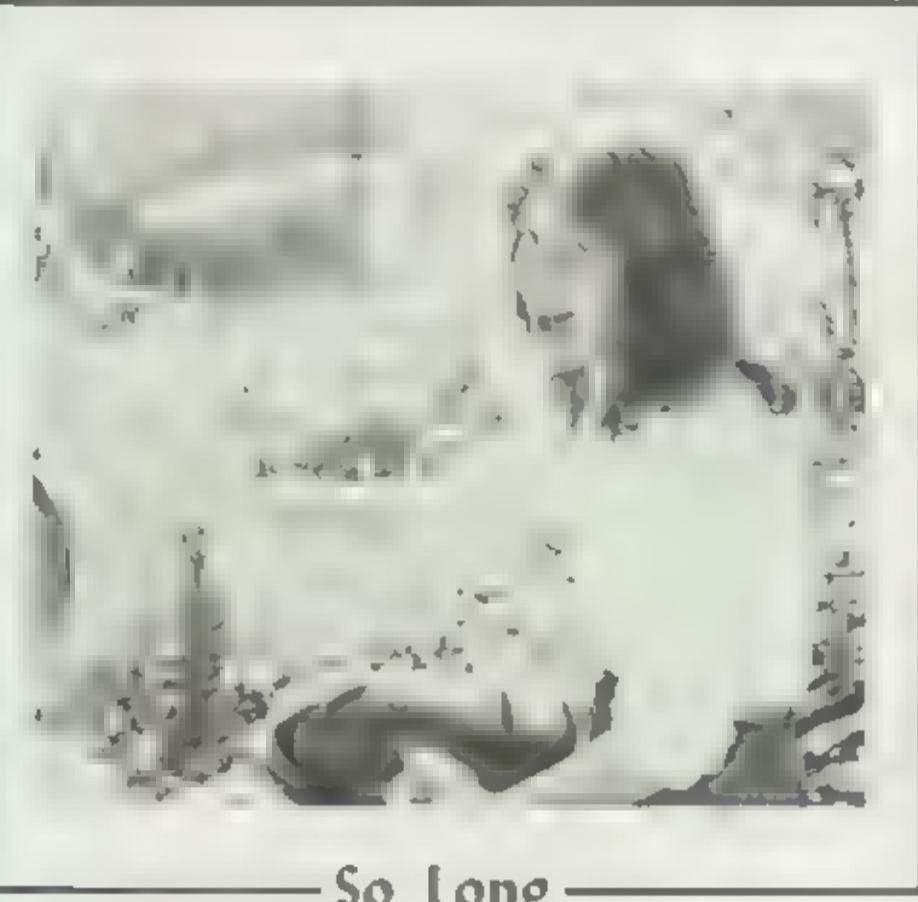


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"Are you talking to me?"

Seniors Say Farewell



— So Long —

Larry Abele: Die young and stay pretty, so live fast because it won't last

Betty Akatcherian: It was nice in a way!!!

Nina Alivera: I leave my good looks and my change of gym clothes, also my basketball skills, to Nicole Porter

Ron Ansoorian: I wish everyone the best of luck in the future

Pam Arlt: That's life! A magazine 15¢ that's life! Keep smiling it makes everybody wonder what you've been up to!

Lyndon Ashe: Don't you wish you could fill my shoes

Renee Avelino: I hereby leave my basketball skills to Nicki, Angie and J. P. (Qwanda) Good Luck P.S. Azzam, I'll miss your smile

Bruce Bailey: I'll check.

Nashaan Baker: Its an \$1 thing and U know that

Theresa Baker: This year has sure been . . . well different. I'm gonna miss those CRAZY Friday nights! Things are so much easier if you worry about them later, right Katie?

Donna Balfour: What's life? How much does it cost? I only have a dime What's life? . . . I'm not saying good-bye. I'm only saying "so long"

Brad Ballard: You only go to Westchester for 3 yrs., so live it up!

Merry Bantz: To Katie Skinner, my best friend. I will all of our wild adventures. That she won't ever forget them. Be outgoing and try a little of everything. You only live once so laugh a lot, smile and "Whip it Good"

Lavone Barnett: Have Sex!

Poindexter Bartholomew: Latter Days

Debbie Baxter: Smile, be happy, and don't let it get you down

Sue Belina: Study hard but leave room for fun

Yolanda Benton: I love you Alfonso Benton Thank You for everything. I leave my heart, including my hugs and kisses

Robert Berry: I absorbed all your worldly knowledge. Thanks Sat

Greg Biseneks: It was fun, but I'm glad it's over

Bloom: Mary, why did you give me a "B"?

Brad Bodle: I like the holes

Candi Brown: May you get a band that's a BAND!

Glen Burgess: "Good Bye"

Yvonne Carlson: "Whew!"

Robin Carson: I leave all my love to my dearest friends Branson, Xavier, Lorrie Good luck Class of '82. But don't forget the Class of '81 is number one

Cathie Cavaliere: Was school incredibly thrilling? Does Mick Jagger have thin lips?

Howard Choh: Take care of yourself but most of all keep close to all those you are concerned with. You can't keep all of them forever. Be Happy!

Kevin Claseman: The last year is the best and hardest

Cyndi Clawson: "Live, Love, Laugh and Be Happy Goodbye W.H.S. and especially you, Ronda!"

Ricardo Colon: This is it

Ricky Cox: Another One Bites the Dust

Anna Cruz: Hang in there you'll make it

Frank Cruz Aedo: A definite experience. Try to enjoy life and don't ever go a day without music

Bennie Curtis: I got to get out of this place

Charles Dagenet: Good luck to everybody and have a good time while you're still in High School

Janey Daniels: I'm glad I'm finally out of here!

LeAnn Dicus: Good by to Westchester

Pat Doherty: You can see more than pretty faces sitting on the wall

Vera Domnikov: Good luck to all those who are staying in WHS (You're gonna need it) Hi Poopleke!

Stacy Douglas: So Long

Karmen Downs: Bye Alma, Stacie, Sexy, etc I would just like everybody to have more Bounce to the Ounce

Jesse Drake: The past three years went so fast thou shall remember these forever and Ever CIRCA 1980

Gia Dreger: I'm glad I'm out, into the real world

Lisa Eldridge: So Long WHS

Carla Epting: I wish all students here good luck in whatever they do. May God Bless you all

Valerie Evans: Good luck to all you people still stuck here. I hope things get better for you guys

Dave Ferguson: It's been real, It's been fun; But

it hasn't been real fun

Lucy Fisher: Thanks

Lisa Franqui: The decent Senior Portraits

Jeff Frierson: Jeff is leaving and I'm taking the ladies with me

Derrick Funderburk: I'm glad I graduated Bye my partner "Ras hawn"

Hope Gallop: I wish that all the remaining girls take good care of Robert, Craig, Mike S., Mike L., Ron V., Louie, and Phillip

John Garcia: I'm glad I'm gone

Julie Garcia: "I leave my hope to faith, my faith to trust, and my trust to Mankind."

Carla Garrett: I wish the best of luck to everybody especially, Alice Sears, Stacey Evans, Jackie Lezine, and my baby sister, Janis Garrett.

Margaret Garska: To all runners I leave my aches and pains experienced during workouts

Charon Gay: To all new people of WHS, I will to you all my French notes, and that let it be known we have the Bench! Good Luck and Have Fun!

Gary N. Gillespie: Whatever you do in life, have a good time and enjoy yourself. Have a ball

Amy Gilbreth: Thank God it's over. Thanks to everyone who help me through my three years here

Natalia Gray: I leave Mrs. Greenaway my figure and my one dimple

Madolyn Green: To Kim Jones I leave my seat in Ms. Riddle's class

Beth Green: Give it all you've got

Danny Greenleaf: Best of luck to all and capture all your dreams and hopes

Allan Han: Westchester is Great. Choir's Great May God Bless Thee!! P.S. (Take Care Woody!)

Bridget Harper: I, Bridget Harper, wish everyone left at Westchester a real good time, to Kim Joes best of luck and happiness in the future and to my Mother Thank you forever P.S. Bye Everyone!

Mary Harvey: Good luck always Class of '81! To my friends, please keep in touch after we graduate

Heidi Hayes: It's nice to be leaving this place at last

Brian Hoff: To Chuck Sparks, Keep up the good work, you SNAKE! To everyone else, this thought: Why should you worry about what happens tomorrow? You know tomorrow it just might not even come. Take your chances by living your life today because sometimes you can put it out and it just don't do ya no good

Dee Dee Hogg: Good Bye So Long Good Willeens

Kevin Hollis: It's been a relative experience

Sungho Hong: Good luck to everyone! And Choir Rules

Doug Horton: I retire my number 9 Baseball jersey to Brett Jones. Good luck to everyone!

Alma House: It's not what I can do for the Class of '81 nor what the Class of '81 can do for me. It's what we can do for each other

Karen Hubbard: Goody bye forever and ever and EVER

Tonie L. Hughes: The world is a hypothetical TRIP So Chill Out!

Herbert Hurley: I leave all my surfing talents to Jeff, Mike, Chuck, Dean, and Boris.

Norman Iseri: So long! I won't be coming back

Khaled Issa: This school is still improving

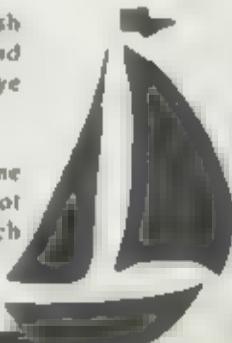
Cindy M. Jackson: I leave my ability to play a whole football game without getting hurt to Donny Houston.

Lisa Jackson: I, Lisa Jackson leave to the WHS students a wish for success and happiness in life

Sharon Jackson: To all the J.V. Cheerleaders I wish you all much success in the future and especially to my Lil sis Robin Calhoun P.S. Bye Stacey and Alice.

Jerry Jacob: I'll Follow the Sun

Michael Jacobs: WHS is pretty nice. I just came to this school in the 12th and I liked it a lot and I would like to give credit to Coach



Class of '81

Gambina who helped me a lot
Kim Johnson: Good luck to everyone who follows
in the proceeding years

Stacey Johnson: Arlene, Natalie Robin, Jackie Liz
Rachel, and Lisa - spirit is the best and only
thing you can possibly have to survive school
I leave my smile to all the new cheerleaders

Lee Johnston I enjoyed my time here especially
in Mr. Knights class - my favorite teacher
Michael Kazden: I thank all of my teachers and
friends for making my three years at

Westchester High School memorable

Linda Kelley: Thank God I don't have to come
back!

Jay King: It's been real
Ken Knudson: I really had a lot of good times at

Westchester I hope everyone else will too
Mike Komer: I'm not dead, yet!

Robert Kurahashi: GOODBYE!!
Julie Kvamme: All I can say is don't deny yourself

the chance to do anything at W.H.S.
Robyn Lawrence: So long W.H.S. Love ya and

always remember education is most important,
no one can take it from you, with it you have
riches and happiness, but also remember that
the other guy is working hard too

Theresa Lawrence: Try your hardest and set a goal
and don't let anything stop you. The best of
luck in the years to come

April LeBlanc: I wish I could say it's been fun. Why
not. It has been

Danny Legg: I waited 12 years to get out of here
but now I have to see the Grateful Dead live

in San Francisco
Marguerite Lewis: To all my 10th graders. Don't

Sweat it!
Sandra Lujan: It was nice the time we spend

together and it's so sad to say good-bye. I'll
always remember you

Kim Lowe: Don't worry your prison sentence is
short. You'll be released soon

Michael Luciw: It's a nice place to visit, but I
wouldn't want to live here

Lisa Macfarlane: Great school, but I can't say I'm

bummed to be leaving Good Bye Ms. Elliot

Lucy Mack: LATER
Lisa Marnach: I want to thank all my teachers for

making my 3 years here a great experience Go
Comets!

Keysha Kim Marshall: I must be on my way Check

you later Chester Thank God I made it
Julie Martin: To all the little children, I leave my

charm, good looks, physique etc. etc.

Lori Masuda: Have a massively great time at WHS

Carolyn Mathews: I wish to thank the girls
Basketball team for a great year 78-79 and
Girls Softball for a super year It was a great

pleasure pitching for a super team

Mackey Mathews: I just want to say good bye to

Mr. Skrumbis And wish all those who follow

me good luck. Also Short Flags are #1

Christopher McBride: God bless those who

proceed me

Natalie McCanelley: Girls slow down don't become
women before your time. Guys it's nice to be

cool, but just don't be a fool

Kathy McDevitt: Bye to Westchester It's been a

fun 3 years. Good Luck always to Laura

Melissa and Pennie

Stacie A. McDowell: It's been a pleasure being a

student at W.H.S. Good luck to all new comers

Brian McGuire: Bet you thought you had it all

worked out, bet you thought you knew what

I was about, bet you thought you solved all

your problems, but you are the problem
Mike McKnight: As I say good-bye, to Westchester
High, and with a wave of my hand, I leave a
pair of crusty, smelly socks to Mr. TAN
Ra Shawn McNeal: The time has come for me to
leave W.H.S. I really enjoyed my two years
here. In those two years I met lots of friendly
people and got to know them as if I'd known
them for years. It's really been nice Good Luck
to everyone. Also I leave my good grades to
my Lil sister Londie

Laura Mendoza: Enjoy life, listen to the Dead and
good luck to those who are left

Bruce Miller: Don't change any more Rules to the
future coming students

Kevin Miller: I am brand new to this school and
L.A. so my opinions are limited

Rodney Miller: I leave my seal on the RTD Bus
Charlene Mills: Best of luck in the future Strive
for the best in life and don't settle for less

Gretchen Minetree: Join Choir and be in the
shows!

Tony Mollner: I'd like to say it's been fun
but it hasn't

Michael Moore: Remember only you can prevent
forest fires

DeJuan Nash: I leave my extreme coolness to
Mamma Maddox and my cough drops to Drena
Humphries

Julie Nassif: Thank God I am leaving Westchester
High (I hope so hal hal)

LaVonn Neal: To my brother Eddie, I leave you my
Book of Excitements, you're going to need it

Kathy Nixon: Live Life to its fullest

Josephine Nouh: Ooh La La, This is my last year

Maria Oyos: It was a thrill to be at Westchester
Some of the people are nice. Sometime I will
come back to visit

Troy Palmer: Good Bye to my almost Favorite
school. The other is USC

Karen Parenteau: Never forget that it doesn't
matter what others think. It's how you feel
about yourself that really counts

Alisa Peacock: I had a hard time starting off, but
now I look forward to start a new and better
life

Mike Penalver: 12 years of hell and I'm all
finished

Karen Penn: Thank you, Mrs. Cook, for being my
best and favorite teacher

Tracey Peoples: To all the rest you know Class of
81 is the best

Byron Phillips: To the dudes with no wrap I leave
mine

Aaron Pincus: WHS You're like a virgin—Thanks
for nothing!!

Zia Portlock: Be kind to everyone, you never know
when you might need a favor

Mike Powell: Another one bites the dust

Roshanda Powers: My last words to WHS are to
tell the Juniors and Sophomores, PLEASE do
not mess up in school because it all comes

back to you as a SENIOR!

Mitch Ragsdale: It's over, what a relief!!

Taffaney Rainey: GOOD BYE!

Debbie Ramey: Liz Good Times, Best friends
Boogity Boogity, Laurne stay with it, Val, you
know that, Lonnie, Remembering U

Brian Reaves: Everyone be cool and don't take life
too seriously

Janet Reynolds: Dance, laugh, and make merry
your high school years

Rhoda Richardson: Best of Luck to the 10th and
11th graders go to your classes and do your
homework. It will pay off in the end. I finally
made it

Bob Riggensbach: LOVE LIFE

Andrea Ring: Take life to the fullest

Robert Roberts Jr: GET A SOCCER TEAM!

Mark S. Robertson: Your time will come and come
and come

Kelly Roddy: I'm Too Hip! Gotta GOLF K.L.O.S

NOV 12 - EATON

NOV 13 - THE NIGHT

NOV 14 - JUNIOR CLASS

NOV 17 - STATE CHAMPION

NOV 18 - UC RIVERSIDE

NOV 20 - LAVERNE

Last Words

Joe Rodgers: It's o.k. I'm glad to be leaving to a better school

Ana Romano: The happy times that I spent with the teachers and students here will always be a precious part of my memory

David Rose: Farewell you all because I am going into the coast guard

Diane Rose: Thanks!

Kim Ruddins: Party til you puke! Hey Hang loose and surfs up

Salvado Rurakaba: I would really like to change the scheduling in this school for the people to come

Patty Sanchez: Have fun and make the best of it
Oh yeah, don't forget to study

Silvia Sardinas: Think about what your going to do with your future. Don't waste it taking drugs and ditching school. It gets you nowhere except trouble and death Stay in school!

Bill Sentlinger: Don't worry about the administrators, just don't give them any sharp objects

Jeff Schleien: Good Bye Cruel World, Hello Summer

Martin Schmidler: Life has just begun

Scott Schory: To all other seniors, Friends are forever! And to Mr Spinosa, to whom I owe my career! Class of '81 Rules!

Kathy Schwartz: Go to the beach and live it up
P.S. Don't goof off and cram everything into your senior year

Pam Shields: Live and Love Life to its fullest, you only live once! Take Care

Curtis Short: Good Bye!

Cathy Sidis: It's owing to be out of WHS at last!

Ellen Simon: I leave my talented sax playing and friendship to Tom Workman. Keep Smiling and I leave my first chair and company guide position to Karmi Hatcher A person who is gifted in music has the greatest gift of all. Love Eric

Matt Skahill: Its been fun, but a little dull at times
Katie Skinner: To Merry, the 3 things that will remind me of my Senior Year are Green M&M's Blue Bugs, and Alphabeta. I'll never forget all the wild parties and football games we've been to. It's been a blast

Don Smith: GOOD BYE . . . AND THANKS

Joseph Smith: "Good By Westchester" "Hello Hollywood"

Richard Smith: "Old men want to be rich, rich men want to be King, but the King ain't satisfied till he rules everything." — The Boss

Bob Smotherman: You only live once, but if you live right once is enough

Pattie Strassburger: Good luck with everything
Don't ask the teachers if they remember me they will probably fail you!

Jim Stephens: Why? or "Beep" or "Censored"
Robyn Steptoe: I would like to leave my brother Larry Steptoe all my dirty gym socks including his girlfriends shoes

Kim Stevenson: Keep striving and don't look back!
Stay cool everybody!

John Tamaki: If I don't see you people in the future, I'll see you people upstairs . . . well most of you

Darryl Tanner: I hope the football team does better than it did last year

Dawn M. Taylor: "PRFIK 10." To the tenth graders I leave the hope that one year we'll have a number one football team! YEH!

Dawn Y. Taylor: I've really enjoyed my past three years at Westchester! I've felt a true closeness to all of the teachers and students here. To Les Sevants: Always strive for the best in life. Good Luck and may God bless you. Bye!

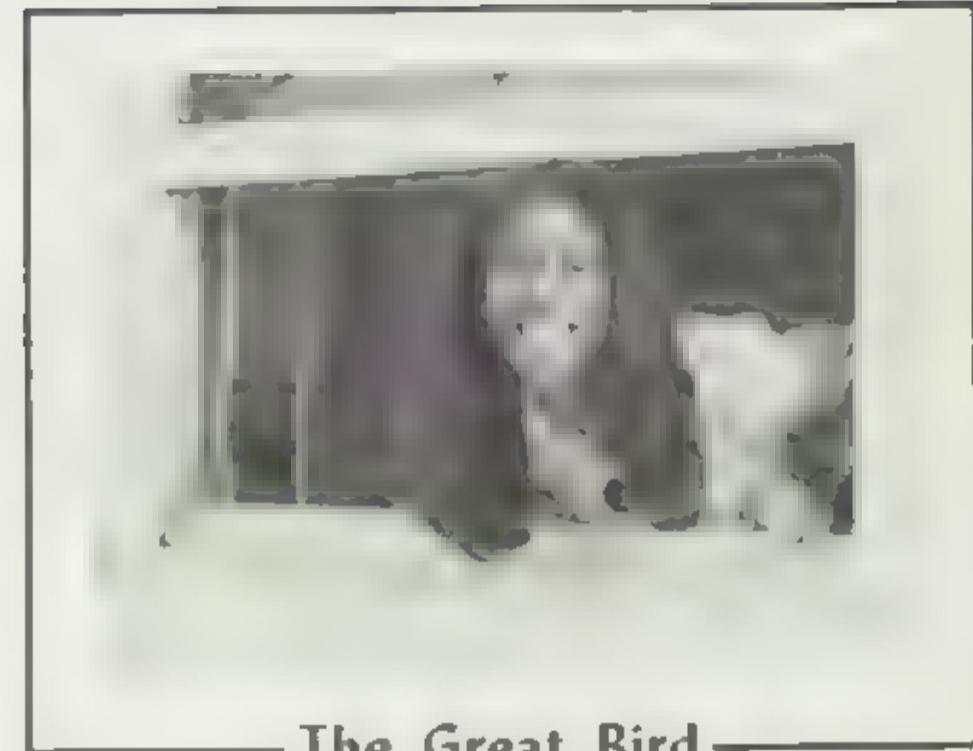
George Thomas: Good Luck Westchester

Victor Thrash: You be Chilli!

Lori Turner: Goodbye for now, everybody who has ever been in Girl Scout Troop #7

Lisa Tylen: Trash can people rule!!

Catherine Veregge: Be not hasty to judge another



The Great Bird

for it takes a lifetime just to know yourself

Brigitte Victor: Nice place to visit but I sure wouldn't want to live here

Monica Villagrana: Good luck in high school and in the future . . . (You'll need it)

David Wada: Thank God I'm finished

Alesia L. Walker: To set yourself a goal and strive to reach it cause there is no future for those who just sit and wait

Lynne Warren: Glad to be gone!!

Craig Watson: Keep on truckin' with the Grateful Dead

David Weissman: You won't get something for nothing. To get anything out of life, you must invest part of yourself into it. And, contrary to popular belief, Mr. Tam, Mr. Werner, and Mr. Monahan are not brothers. I love you, WHS Class of '81.

Sharon Westcott: Everyone keep up the habit
Listen to the Sabbath'

Jill Wheatley: Chorus rules the earth

Bill Wheeler: I don't know about you, but I'M glad to get out of here

Linda Whitmyer: I'll Check

Lise Williams: I'm so glad we had this time together!!! I leave to Suzy Q all my headaches

Good Luck Kid

Christy Willis: Dead Heads own

Tom Woodall: Do take it easy on these ancient

teachers. I'm glad I'm out of this mess. So Long

Jo-Ellen Woolf: Good bye WHS. I had fun while I was here

Adam Wright: The world is full of Kings and Queens who blind your eyes and steal your dreams. It's heaven and hell

Anonymous: I will my curling rods and Rave home permanent kit to Mike Manahan

Kevin: It was nice

Anonymous: Good Bye! I am glad I am gone sorry I stayed long

Garry: Let Me Out of This School!!!

John Doe: This school is a change

Dr. Jimmy: Au revoir Buenos Aires, and there's plastic explosives in your car. Your are belongs to a dying Nation, they don't know that we own you. We're the slaves of the phony leaders, breathe the air that we've blown you! Punk meets the Godfather

I think Dr. Jimmy is a mental case!

Pass, get out as fast as you can and live life for yourself

GAR: "Don't be square

Anonymous: Stick with it you've come this far don't blow it now!!

Mad Dog: Venice High was better

Anonymous: I will my old designer jeans to Kelvin Davis and Mike Strand



Juniors Adrift



A smile costs nothing, but gives much.
It enriches those who receive
Without making poorer those who give.
It takes but a moment
But the memory of it sometimes lasts
forever.
None is so rich or mighty,
That he can get along without it
And no one is so poor
But that he can be made rich by it.
A smile creates happiness in the home,
Fosters goodwill in business
And is natures best antidote for trouble.
Yet it cannot be bought, begged,
borrowed, or stolen
For it is something that is of no value
Until it is given away.
Some people are too tired to give you a
smile
Give them one of yours
As none needs a smile so much
As he who has no more to give.





Sophomores

Sail On



Juniors

JUNIORS: Eleventh grade is sort of a middle ground in which Juniors sometimes feel as though they will never be Seniors! However, the time passes quickly with only the memories of their activities and good times left to remind them of their fun and excitement at Westchester.



Stacey Aaronson



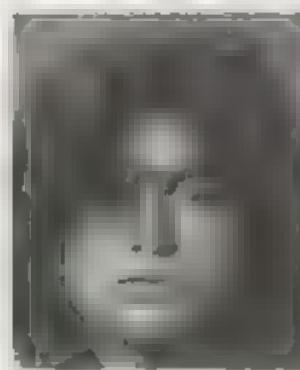
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Dianne Allan



Leroy Allan



Terri Allen



Ann Allard



L.C. Amie



John Andrusko



Cindy Anderson



Joseph Angle



Vicki Angle



Stacey Anthony



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Rodney Armstrong



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Nancy Austin



Marianne Ayala

Class Of '82



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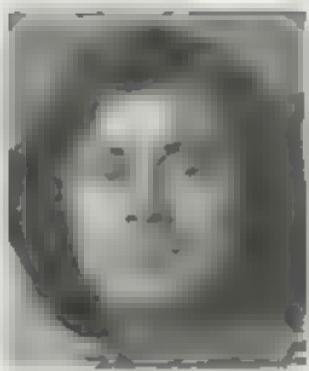
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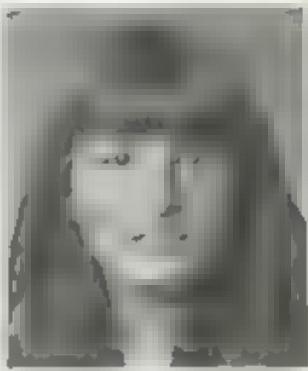
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Kirk Baldwin



Jorge Barreda



Allison Barr



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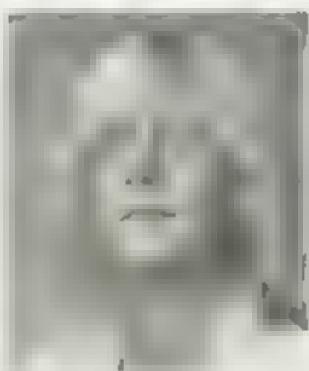
Caught in the Act



They are all wrapped up in each other



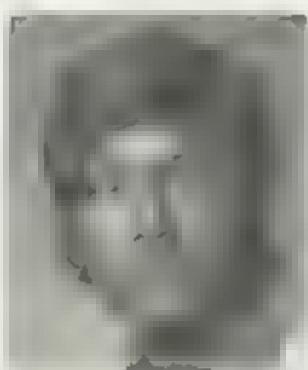
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Cheryl Beck



Brian Bentley



Gerald Benson



Yvette Bennett



Phyllis Bennett



Tony Bennett



Deena Bentles



Greg Bernhard

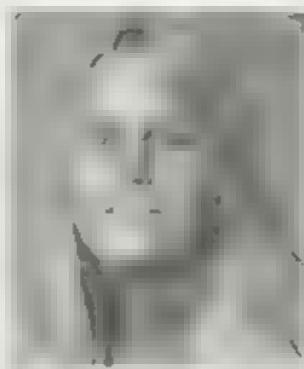
— Happy Smiling Faces —



Roland Berry



Charles Bladek



Michelle Blichfeld



Lisa Boags



Garryl Bohanon



John Bolduc



Ron Bottom



Tonya Bond



Crystal Bowers



Dean Boyd



Micheal Boyezis



Brett Bozeman

— I've heard your side —



Billy Bawer



Jeff Briggs



Arlene Broussard



David Brown



Gerard Brown



Louis Brown

The Juniors Get Mugged



Malanda Brown



Brent Brush



Robert Buentjen



Carol Bullard



Penny Burnslein



Caleen Burton



Julius Burton



Aaron Byrd



Neil Cadman



Robin Calhoue



Linda Campbell



Tamra Campbell



Rafael Campos



Gerald Canty



David Cardona



Dawn Carter



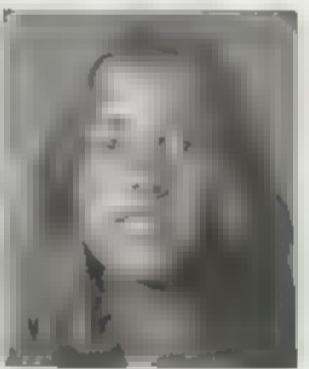
Katherine Carter



Lorelei Carter



Michele Carvalai



Suzanne Cavaliere



Staci Cazenave



Brigitte Carter



Bill Chandler



Jill Chandler



Lydia Chang



Terri Charles



Cary Chow



Richard Chow

The costs in '81

M & M's	25¢
School lunch	\$1.00
Toothpaste	\$1.50
Six-Pack Beer	\$3.00
Big Mac	\$1.20
Pizza	\$6.00
Coca Cola	40¢
Swenson's Ice	
Cream Cones	75¢

Sharing Memories



Felicia Chumley



Dan Clark



Ethel Clark



Rickey Clark



Ronda Clawson



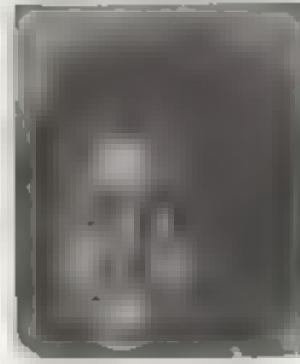
Robert Clayton



Doug Cleveland



Paul Cliff



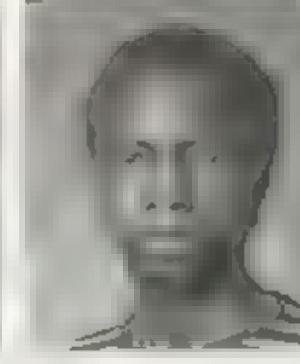
Geneva Clifton



Mike Cobles



Kelly Coleman



Wade Collins



Alfonso Comellas



Marcus Coney



Hampton Conn



Brian Cook



Gib Cooper



Carlos Cote



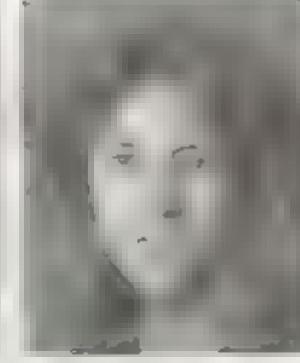
Mike Cronie



Thomas Culley



Bryan Cunningham



Michelle Cushman



David Daggell



Chuck Dagenel



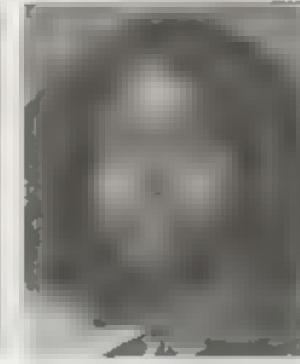
Mary Dougherty



Kim Davis



Chrissy Dean



Monica Derbigny

The costs in '81

Class Sweater	\$40.00
No. 2 pencil	15¢
Prom Bid	\$45.00
Moped	\$450.00
Gallon of Gas	\$1.27
Yearbook	\$17.50
Class Ring	\$105.00

Planning Ahead



Tanya Derlus



Terry Deshae'



Allan Dever



Sarah Dewey



Christina Deyelle



Kevin Dias



Steven Dye



Monique Duncan



Terry Dulan



Tracie Drahon



Lon Drake



Jesse Drake



Garrett Doyle



Janet Datson



Glenn Dicus



Dicksan Dake



Lit Eakin



Robert Eastman



Ron Eastman



Darcie Eckermann



Linda Eckert

Calories

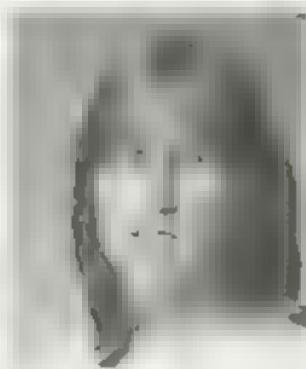


It tastes so good!

To Sink Or Sail . . .



Alycia Edwards



Norma Edwards



Craig Ekstrom



Carrie Eldridge



Jan Epstein



Erik Erlandson



Alesia Evans



Stacie Evans



Stacey Evans



Jonni Ewan



Steve Ewell



Dionne Ford

I've been trying and trying —



I just can't shrink down to her size!



Rhonda Fortner



Shermita Foster



Robert Franz



Patrick Frasca



Lars Frazer



Larrie Frere



Laura Furnes



Audrey Ford



Lisa Farrell

That Is The Question



John Faulhafer



Joseph Feigerl



Amy Feutz



Kyle Field

The Costs in '81	
Thongs	\$15.00
Braces .. .	\$2.000.00
Nike Shoes .. .	\$24.00
Jordache Jeans .. .	\$38.00
Cowboy Boots .. .	\$60.00
Alligator Shirt .. .	\$22.00
Perm .. .	\$40.00



Dearina Furgerson



Steve Foley



Sean Faon



Sherri Gagliardi



Susan Garbina



Donna Garcia



Kenney Garrett



Shamian Gharibeh



Valerie Gilbreth



Dean Gilger



Benney Gillan



Natalie Gold



Pia Gooden



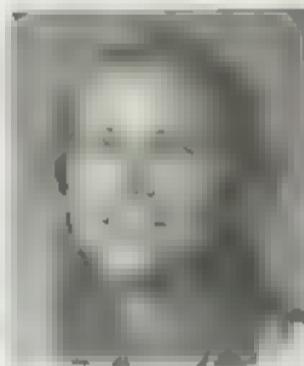
John Goodman



Lauren Gowan



Algin Grant



Kristine Grant



Nanalie Grant



Tim Grant



Jim Grehn



Cornell Griffin



Donell Griffin



Sheri Griffin



Marie Gross

Striving and Achieving



Steve Gruca



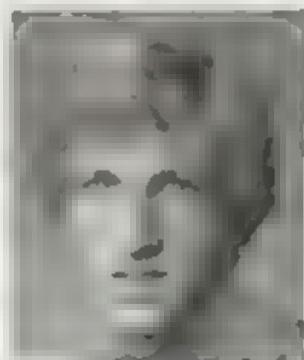
Ranjit Gupte



Liz Gutierrez



Priscilla Gutierrez



Tom Haas



Cassandra Haggins



Craig Hall



Lisa Hall



I Chawn Hoa



Drusyce Harris



Gretchen Harris



Sandra Harris



Ursula Harris



Kathy Harrison



Eric Hartfield



Toye Harvey



Chris Hatanaka



Karmella Hatchett



John Hauge



Kevin Head



Diane Henry



Tammy Herren



Francisco Hernandez



Corinna Hever

Double take



Our looking at her and listen to me

Only One Year To Go



Rachael Higa



Candy Hill



Laurie Hines



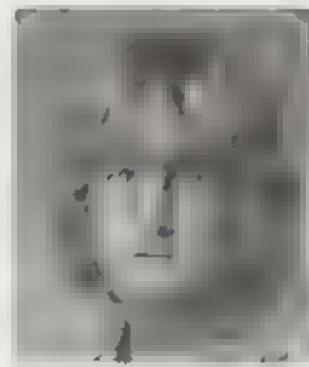
Harry Hirschman



Lisa Hobrak



Kevin Hackley



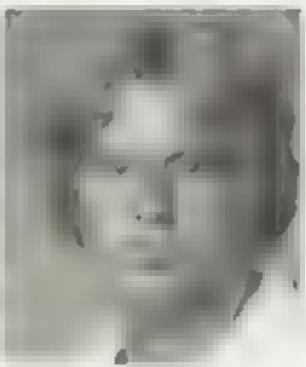
Pam Holland



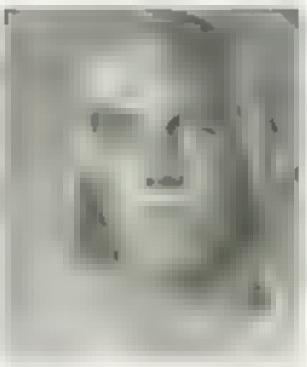
Sally Holtzman



Steve Hong



Dan Hordienko



Boris Horvat



Don Houston



Cheryl Howe



Phuol Huu



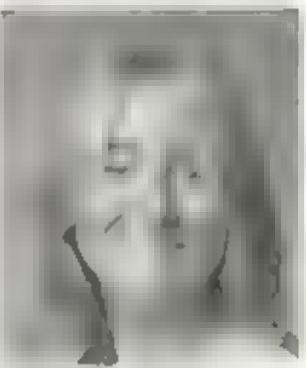
Tom Hudspeth



Melissa Hultgren



Drena Humphries



Samantha Hutchinson



Scott Hutchinson



Scott Inglehart



Lori Iauzuka



Leonard Inert



Chauncy Ison



Eva Issa



Michael Jackson



Mark Jacobson



Ellen Jambua



Brian Jasper

The costs in '81

Magic Mountain	\$8.00
Cassette	\$6.88
52 Hostages	\$8 billion
Album	\$7.49
Concert	\$12.50
Movie	\$5.00
Surfboard	\$250.00
Skiis	\$200.00

A Plunge Into The Future



Carrie Jewett



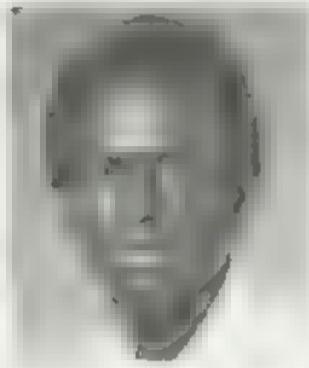
Skip Jochum



Cindy Johnson



Darral Johnson



Derek Johnson



Kelly Johnson



Portia Johnson



Rochelle Johnson



Stacey Johnson



Tina Johnson



Dennis Jones



Hiroshi Jones



Jeff Jones



Perry Jones



Shen Jones



Tracey Jones



Kirk Jongeward



Craig Kaplan

Foodaholics



It's always lunchtime for Ann



John Karl



Staci Kato



Karen Kawemera



Julie Keegan

— But Is The Future Ready? —



George Keller



Jeff Keller



Irene Kelly



Darrell Kemp



Nancy Kielinger



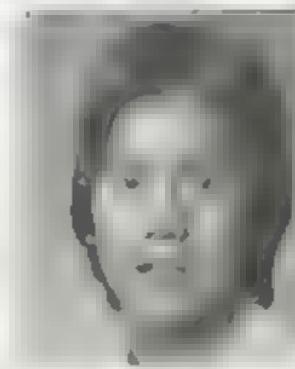
Chet Kline



Mike Kiszewski



Colleen Krauch



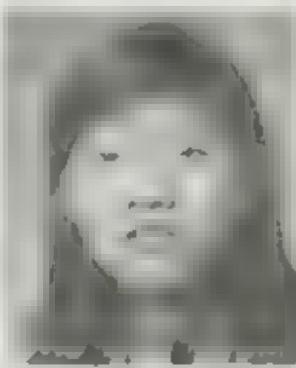
Kevin Kuba



Duffy Kuntz



Rodney Lacroix



Tracy Laision



Donna Lang



Ken Larimore



Lisa Lauderback



Michele Lawrence



Mary Le Blanc



Gary Lee



Mandy Lefler



Brenda Letch



Jeff Levine



Elly Levy

— Fashion at its peak —



No, this is the way we always dress.

We're All In The Same Boat



Jacqueline Lezne



Les Liess



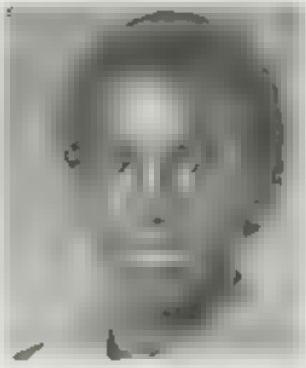
Evangeline Lim



Willie Lincoln



Shawn Lindsey



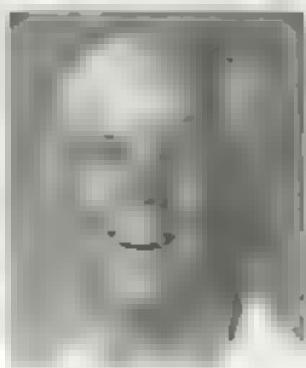
Mark Little



Michael Little



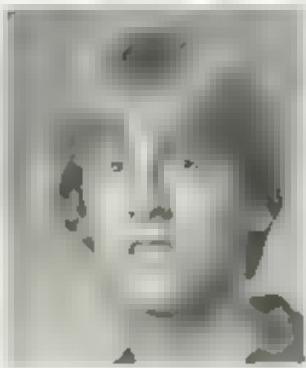
Lena Liu



Jim Locke



Brian Logan



Cal Long



Eddie Lopez

Say "cheese"



I wish you would quit bothering me



Zachary Love



Larry Lucero



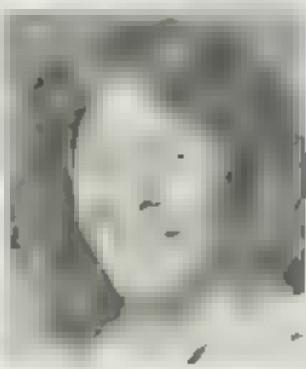
Rick Luengo



Jose Lujan



Carol Lyon



Kathy Mace



Julie MacFarlane



Latane Mack



Zanthisa Maddox

Gazing At Tomorrow



Joanne Malyjurek



Inger McBride



Michelle McCracken



Kent McCarty



Ramona McDowell



Doug McKenny



Vance McMullen



Rosalyn McQuay



Michael Manahan



Carlos Manzano



David Mark



Karen Marnach



Isabel Marrero



William Marshall



Ellen Martin



Florence Martin



Howard Mashburn



Jolene Mathews



Jerry Mayer



Brigitte Melhado

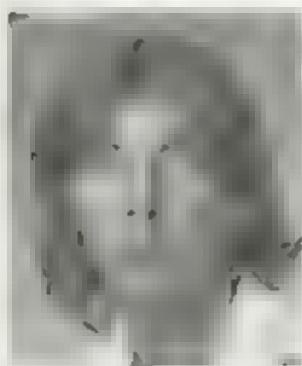


John Meneghini



Kevin Meyerhoff

Next Year



Leland Miller



Susan Miller



Shaw Millner



Diane Misumi



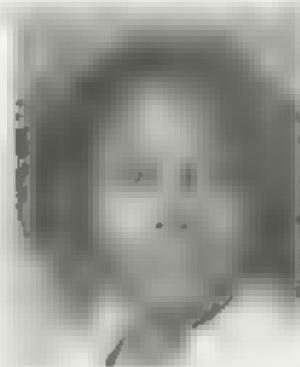
Leona Mitchell



Marcus Mizushima



Lucy Montes



Rashawn Montgomery



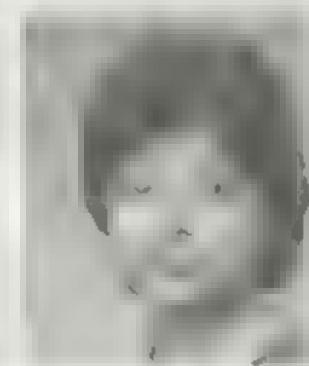
Maria Montour



Jeff Moore



Patti Morell



Arleen Moreno



Bruce Morgan



Raymond Mork



Alyssa Mugrage



Geri Murakawa



Guillermo Munillo



Lisa Murray



Roderick Nabors



Danny Nakasone



Greg Nakasone



Whatever you do don't eat the cafeteria food

We'll Rule The School



Debbie Nash



Greg Neal



Christy Nelson



Pat Ngoha



Branson Nicholson



Phyllis Nicholson



Erik Nielsen



Shirley Nishitarumizu



Eileen O'Connor



Koji Okazaki



Robert Olaveson



Dan O'Neill



Jeff Osaka



Pat Otting



Cindy Oune



Charles Ounjian



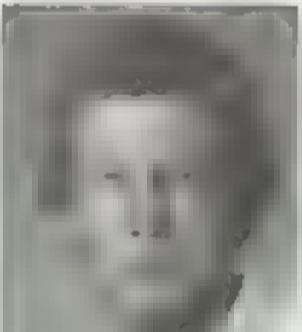
Starla Owens



Gary Palmer



Katrina Parker



Jim Parsons



Rasheedah Pasha



Lia Patterson

Studying at lunch



"Are you sure those are the right notes?"

Class Of '82



Barbara Patton



Andrew Pearson



Doug Pearson



Carol Pelletier



Fernando Perez



Sandi Perkins



Laura Pfaffinger



Arthur Phillips



Janie Philipott



Lavista Pinckney



Clyde Pittus



Jacqueline Plick

— Smile! —



"Oh no, not you again!"



Laurie Plotte



Calvin Pon



Mark Porter



Aristen Prentice



Glenda Price



Robert Pucher



Bambi Pulce



Brian Purcell



Sheila Purnell

Always on the Move



Paul Quattrochi



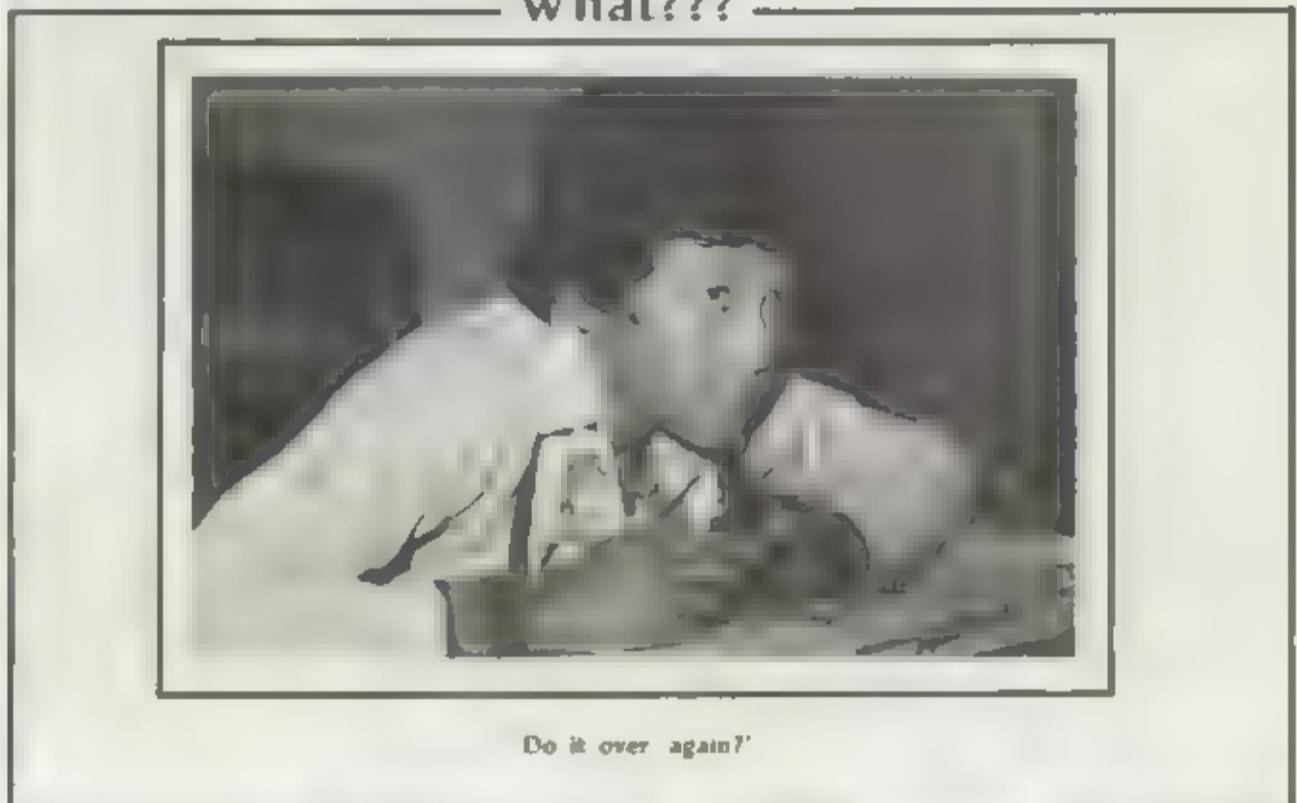
Paul Queen



Mike Ramus



José Rams



Doug Randolph



Kanani Raspberry



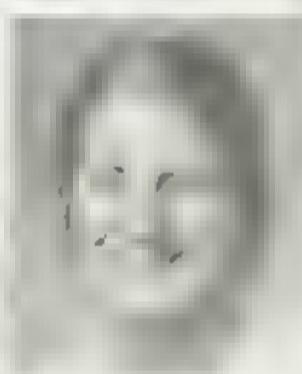
Rohni Reid



Rosa Reyes



Lyn Reynolds



Cheryl Richardson



John Riley



Clayton Roberts



Robert Rodgers



Hernalinda Rodriguez



Robert Roncelli



Beverly Ross



Brian Rubin



Andrew Russell



Barry Sadachiro



Scott Sanders



Jim Sattler

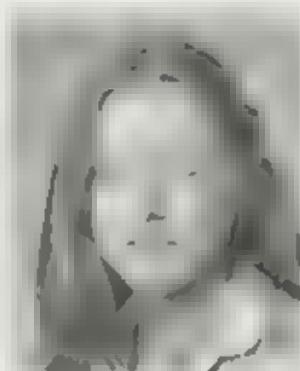


Jana Savage

Juniors



Angela Schlender



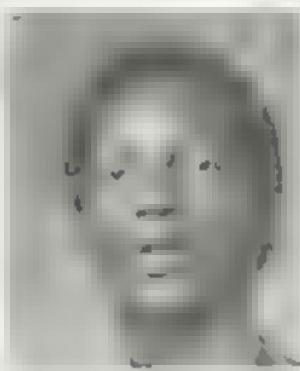
Linda Schmid



Lori Schulman



Steven Sclatani



James Scott



Sandra Svavach



Alice Sears



Sharon Senor



Aaron Sexton



Lisa Shaw



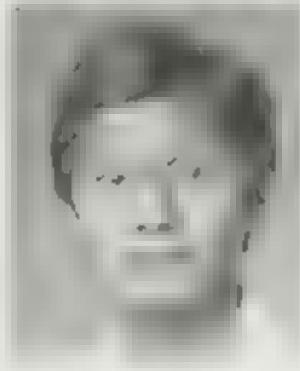
Pat Sheehan



Andy Sheffield



Alan Sherwood



Robert Shih



Sung Shih



Mike Shoemaker



Jane Singh



Billy Smith



Robby Smith



Eric Smith

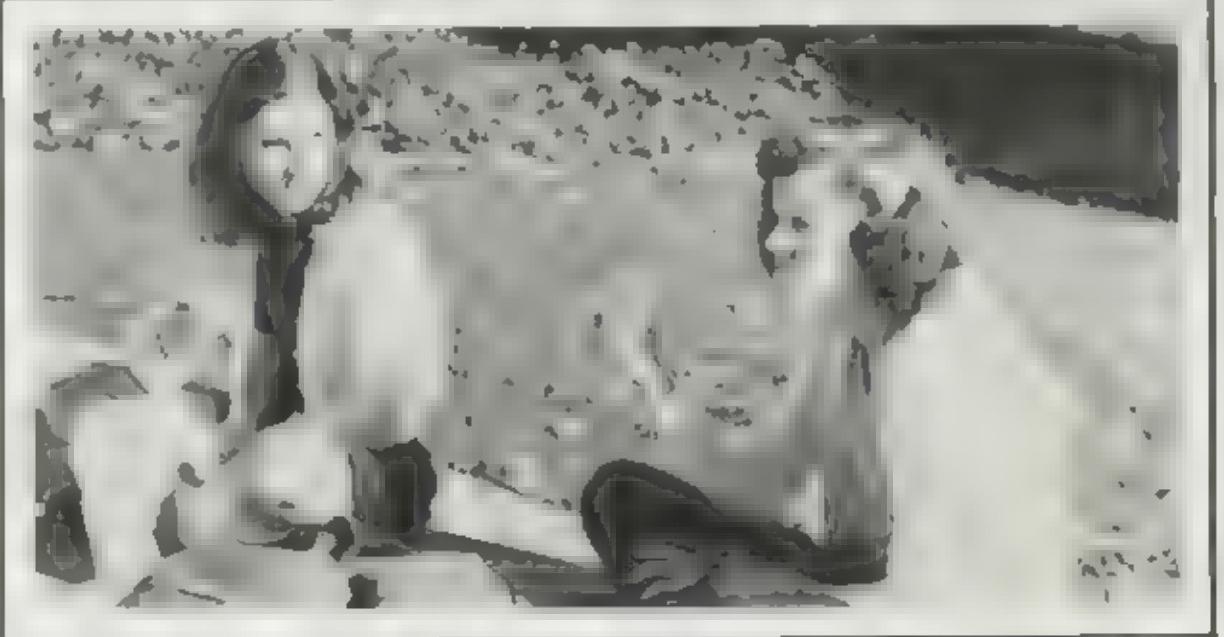


Gary Smith



Jeff Smith

Is it edible?



"If mom packed it, it must be lunch"

Looking Toward Tomorrow



JoAnne Smith



Tina Smith



Xavier Smith



Zena Smith



Daphen Snead



Kathryn Sommers



Debra Souice



Martha Spach



Charles Sparks



Mark Spinale



Kevin Spivey



Lisa Sprinkles



Bill Spruck



Greg Stamps



James Stanford



Carol Stein



NeAundra Stinson



Dondi St. Lewis



Laura Stoppel



Espen Stordi



Martha Strock



Debbie Sturdevant



Jim Subbie



Steve Susich



Brenda Talbott



Tracy Tanti



Charles Tatton



Lori Taylor



Paula Taylor



Brian Tell

Juniors Adrift



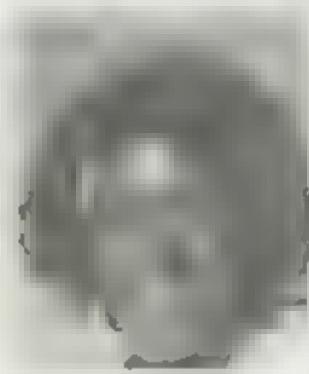
Renee Theis



Cedric Thevenaz



Cathy Thielbest



Thomas Roxenne



Brian Thompson



Julie Tidwell



Tom Tindall



Antonio Torres



Sharon Tosti



Bruce Troutman



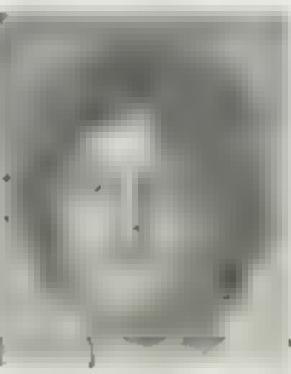
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Rhonda Turley



Patricia Turner



Mike Underwood



Craig Valency



Donna VanLeningham



Carlton VanPutten



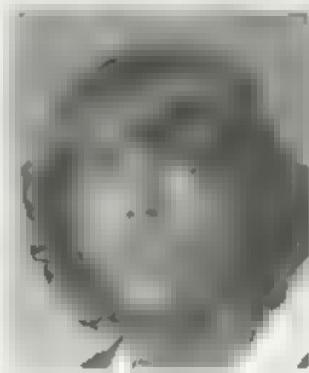
Margaret Vennie



Vennetta Veronee



Andrea Vogt



Mark Voorheis



Angela Wade



Leon Walcott



Angela Walker



Isam Waller



Patricia Walston



Lisa Waltmeyer



Lynne Walton

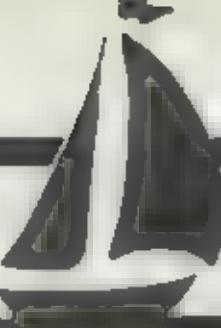


Curt Washington



Peter Washington

But Not For Long



Jennifer Weissman



Michael Wesley



Amy Westfall



Clinton Whitney



Greg Wiley



Anthony Williams



Charisse Williams



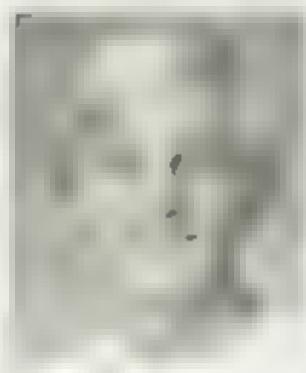
Ted Williams



Ronald Willis



Brian Wilson



David Withers



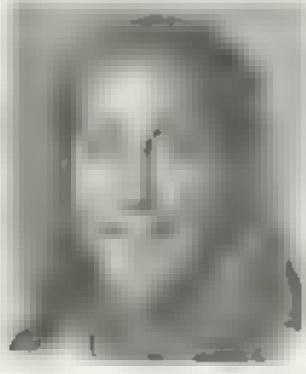
Edgar Witherspoon



Norman Wong



Alysen Woody



Lauren Woolsey



Tom Workman



Edward Yang



Rhegan Yeagley



Richard Zachry



Tasha Zackery



Aziz Zafarzadon



Brian Zenter



Shirley Zekaval



Peter Zilgalvis

Lunch is lonely . . .



When you eat a garlic sandwich

Sophomores

SOPHOMORES: The transition from junior to senior high is sometimes difficult, and often confusing, but the new tenth graders achieved it with ease. Eager to support their class, they sponsored a Spirit Week, then continued their enthusiasm with a bake sale, and the sale of Gift Check Booklets.



Zulaykha Abdu



Vincent Adams



Irwan Adnan



Donna Aime



Nova Alfred



Terri Allen



Kristina Andelin



Keith Anderson



Kenny Anderson



Derrill Angelo



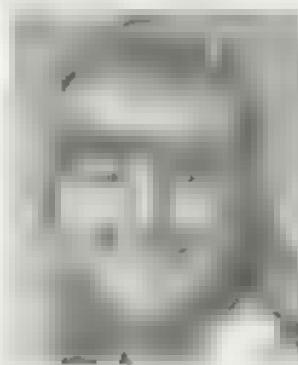
Darryl Archibald



Bernice Armstrong



Winston Ashford



Laurie Atherton



Kevin Beckstrom



Derek Balkan



Diana Banks



LaTonya Barnett



Patricia Barnett



Keith Basset



Helen Bean



Georgina Beaton



Dayna Bedney



Nathalie Beghin

Class Of '83



Claudia Beightol



Shannon Bell



Timothy Bell



Victoria Benjamin



Terri Berger



Alecia Bernard



Chip Bissett



Sarita Bissett



Eurtacia Bodie



Stephen Bosworth



Brigitte Bowman



Larry Bradley



Vicki Braud



Renee Brooks



Barrett Brown



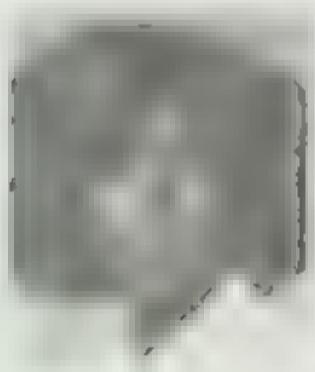
Damell Brown



Denise Brown



Johnny Brown



Kim Brown



Ench Bruce



Laurie Buettner

I'm A Pepper, You're a . . . oops!



"Feeling 7 up, I'm feeling 7-up."

Westchester High



Kent Buonadonna



Heather Burns



Allison Burr



Eugene Burns



Edwin Bush



Jene Butler



Ralph Butler



Carol Byous



Danielle Cody



Victor Calderon



Polka Campanaris



Steve Campman

It's registration day —



"I'm sorry, but this class is full."



Gina Candelori



Pam Cardone



Wandella Carroll



Scott Carr



Daryn Carter



Ronald Carter



James Cavaliere



Brett Cecere



Andy Chang

A New Beginning



Dina Chatwin



Morris Choi



Peter Choi



Frank Chuang



Kimberly Clark



Chansse Clayton



Chris Clements



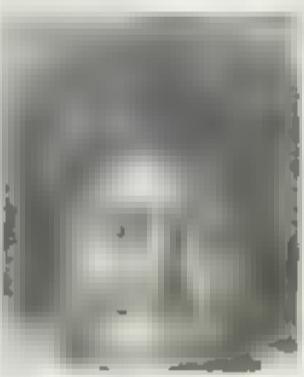
Eric Clutterbuck



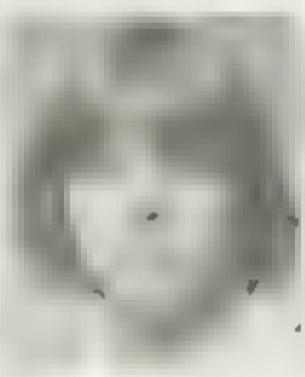
David Collins



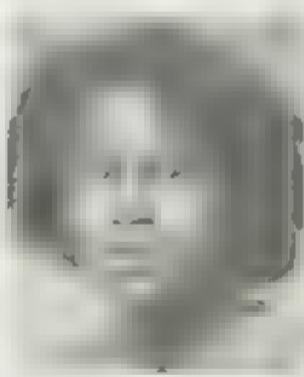
Honor Colwell



Evette Cooper



Don Copeland



Angela Counts



Patty Crockett



Semita Craigen



Mike Curtis



Bruce Dardis



Mary Dahle



Clint Dahlke



Danielle Dulan



Kirkland Davis



Sail On Down The Line

The wise one



Jeff knows nothing, tells all



Portia Davis



Darryn Dearl



Trudie Dean



Mike Dehnen



Martin Delaney



Alicia Delgado



Sonja Demirdjian



Guy DePalma



Howard Dewitt



Marc Diamond



William Dickerson



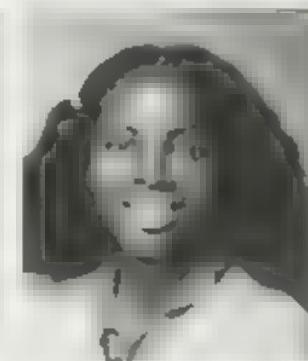
Tho Doan



Jason Dobine



Victor Domnikov



Kim Dredd



Andy Dues



Jennifer Eckberg



Carol Elliott



Dawn Engel



Kelle Epps



Janine Flint



Mia Falkenstein

Funny How The Time Can Go



Dana Faulkner



Ron Fargo



Monique Fernandes



Nandy Ferrer



Tom Ferrer



Angela Fierloa



Dianne Fields



Carolyn Fiero



Courtland Fiero



Daniel Fisher



Keshia Fisher



Richard Fisher



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Andre Fredieu



Nancy Freeman



Melissa Frye



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Rachel Gaines



Lusantha Gardaua



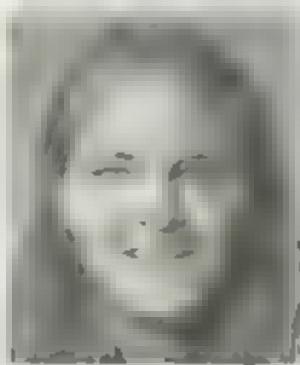
Janis Garrett



Stephen Garstka



Richard Gazan



Robin Genco



Marguerite George



Valerie George



Carolyn Gerhardt



Issa Gharibeh

Sophomores . . .



Lisa Gilbert



Bill Gillette



William Glasgow



John Glasker



Mark Giovanardi



Erich Goller



Shanta Goodly



Cindy Gordon



Ann Gorton



Joe Gotlieb



Robbie Gould



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Ronald Grubbs



Jennifer Hague



Craig Hahn



Lori Haines



Betty Hairapetian



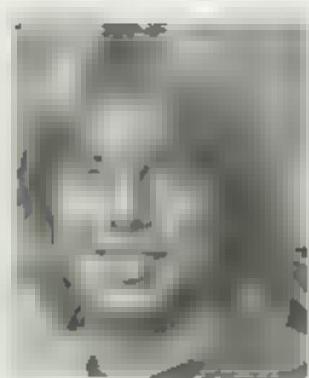
Sandee Hall

— Say cheese? —



The rest are all camera shy

What A Concept!



Troy Hanners



Kimberly Harper



Sydney Harris



Linda Harrison



Julie Matanaka



Teresa Hawk



Dawn Haynes



Wendy Hayard



Kevin Head



Micah Hirschman



LaShon Henderson



Mitchell Henderson



Andrew Herd



Kelly High



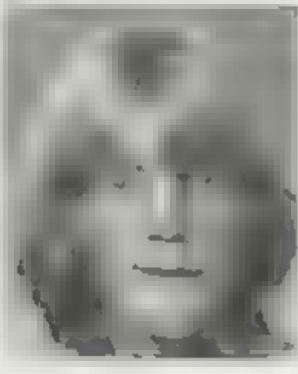
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Susie Hinds



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Mike Hooper



Roylan Hollins



Kim Hollis



Mark Holmes



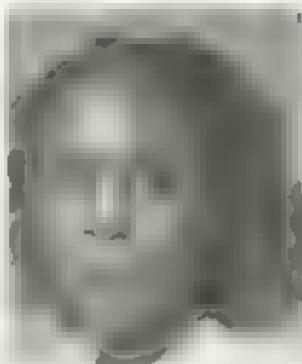
Geoffrey Holt

Alone Or In Groups,

— So feminine! —



I'm always filing my nails



Sheila Holt



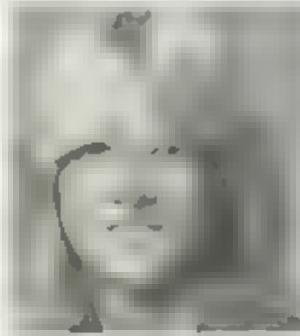
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Karen Hopkins



Mike Hopper



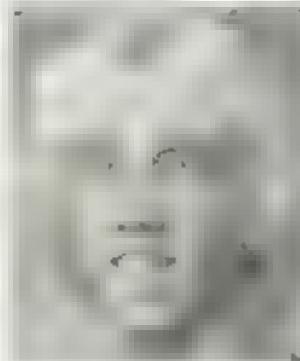
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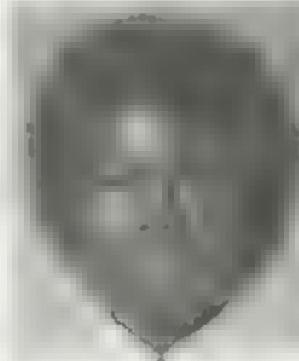
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Nancy Hoyle



Daren Hughes



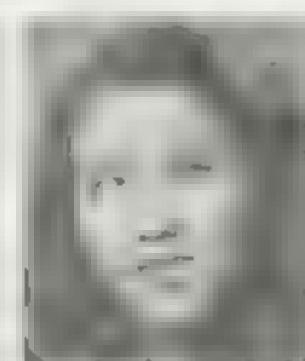
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Donnita Iacovino



Barbara Icaza



April Ingram



Dean Iwatake



Mario Iocelano



Gigi Irvine



Reggie Irving



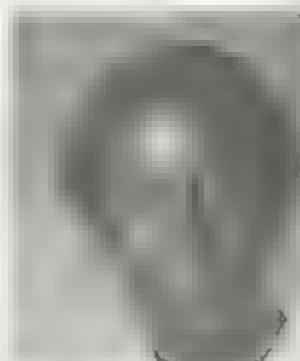
Jerry Isaacs



Scott Jagger



Carol Jacob



Derrick Jackstrom



Valerie Johnson

Sophomores Are Friendly



DeAndre Johnson



David Johnson



James Johnson



Julie Johnson



Linda Johnson



Mike Johnson



Paula Johnson



Robert Johnson



Daniel Johnston



Deanna Johnston



Brett Jones



Greg Jones



Karl Jones



Sonya Jones



Jack Josephson



Connie Judkins



Bruce Kaderlik



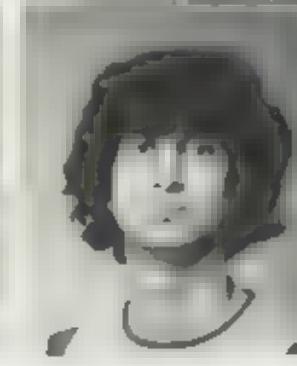
John Kaderly



Kenny Kaiser



Kurt Kaiser



Davinder Kapany

Short people



"Hey I'm friendly too."

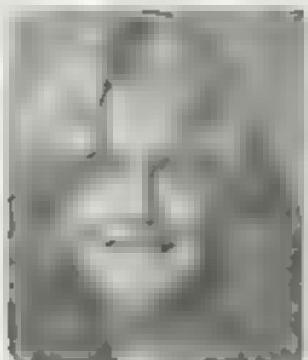
Music Makes



Vera Kaplan



Ray Kappel



Katy Kelley



Greg Keolian



John Keyes



Matt Kim



Keyes Kimball



Geoff King



Vincent King



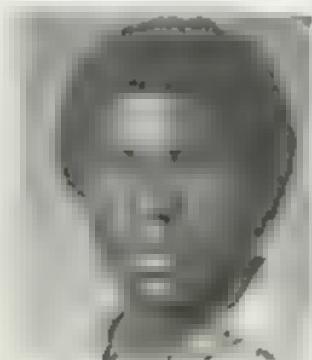
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Tammie Knight



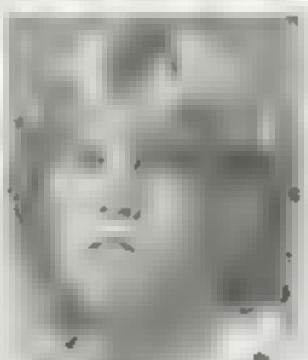
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Greg Knox



Burt Kohler



Joan Kolvit



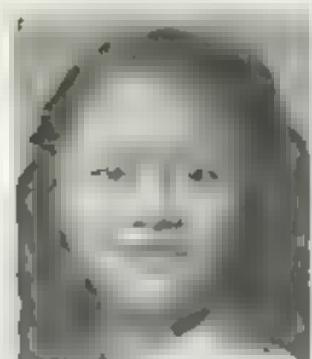
Joe Kovalewski



Nicole LaPata



Anna Leary



Cindy Lee



Mike Lee



Royanne Leger



Janet Legras

— Music —

Dig that groovy, way out beat!"

The Days Go By.

Better watch out!



Here I come



Lorrie Leon



Barbara Lesage



Dwayne Leslie



Shlomy Levy



Byron Lewis



Linda Lewis



Mark Lewis



Titus Liddell



Robin Lieberg



Marcia Lightay



Randy Lim



Danielle Lindmark



Mike Lindquist



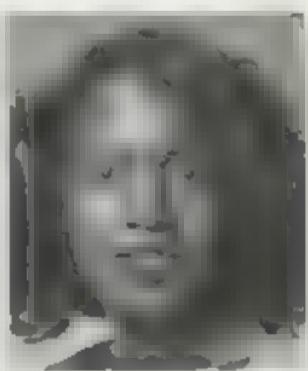
Justin Lippert



Cathy Little



Lauri Litwiller



Gladys Logan



Gina Lombardo



Alex Lora



Cezanne Love



Eric Lucero

Class of '83 Is Alive . . .



Forrest Luke



Micheal Lynch



Jim Macris



Carrie Hale



Patrick Manning



Susie Marquardt



Mike Maska



Ingrid Mathieu



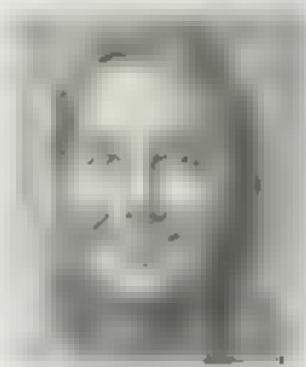
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Lisa Mathis



Tony Mathis



Linda May



Alonzo Mayfield



Brandon McCall



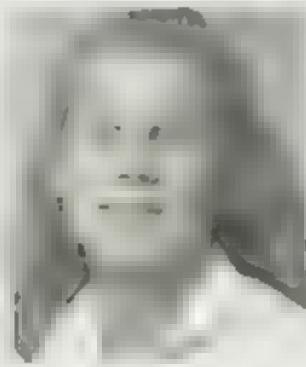
Sheila McCarter



Mary Jo McGovern



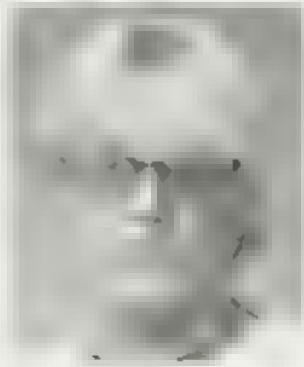
Mark McGruder



Maureen McGurk



Sherry McInyre



Marvin McKay



Reginald McLendon



Susan Meagher



Judy Meyer



John Micheal



Jay Middleton



Jeff Middleton



Victor Minas



Alicia Miranda



Greg Mollner

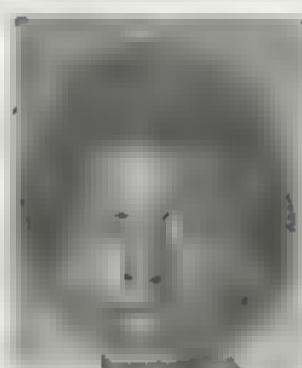


Maribel Montes

... And Well.



Mike Montoya



Dennis Moore



Miles Moore



Sheuren Moore



Tommy Moore



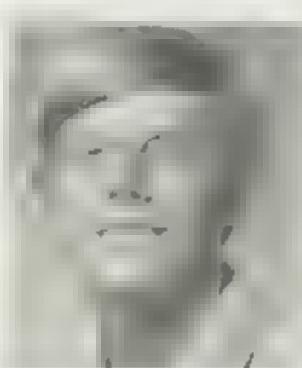
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Marge Morales



David Morris



Jeff Morris



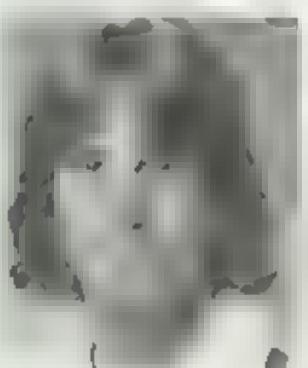
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Carl Morrisette



Sharon Morrisette



Mike Mashos



Karl Movchan



Erik Mounse



Cameron Munro



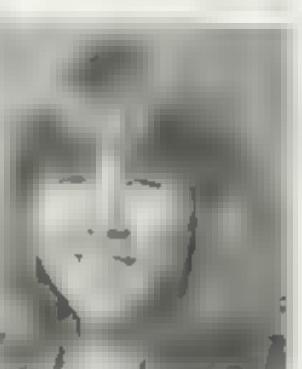
Janice Murphy



Raylene Myerson



Betsy Nash

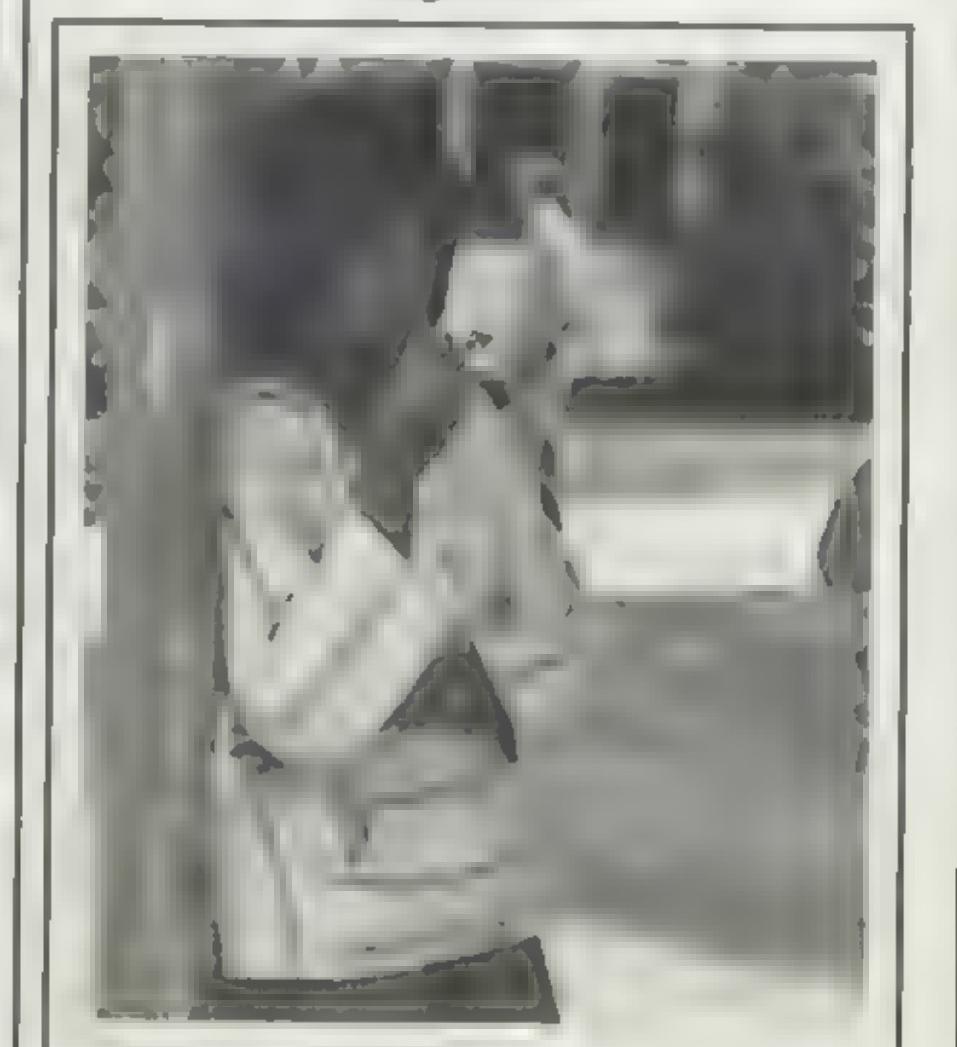


Betty Nelson



Edward Neal

Regression



"I can't help it. I love my thumb."

At Work Or At Play



Laurie Nelson



Scott Nelson



Lori Nicholson



Linda Nixon



Gia Notario



Tom Oberlo



Garrett Ogata



Lori Ohimoto



Darryl Olivier



Bryan O'Neal



Gilbert Oyos



Guy Publico



Desi Pacheco



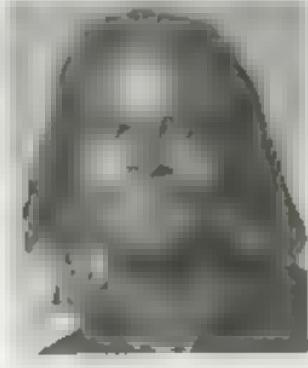
Kenny Pacheco



Lisa Pacheco



Cathy Padilla



Trescia Palmer



Davivier Parker



Kent Partin



Lisa Paul



David Pearson



Eric Peaberton



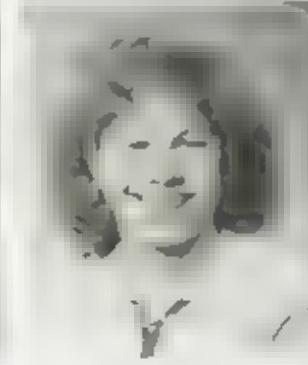
Carleen Peters



Rowena Peters



Eletrina Perkins



Jaqueline Perkins



Tami Peterson



Marion Petty



Jacqueline Pete



Theresa Peterson

Sophomores Save The Day

The latest style



"Ain't we just the bee's knees?"



Erica Plicklist



Amy Plotnik



Joseph Plouffe



Cindy Polge



Ernesto Pommier



Michelle Ponder



Nicole Porter



Howard Politk



Traci Printup



Eileen Puhek



Adrienne Purnell



Karen Purnell



Kim Reggans



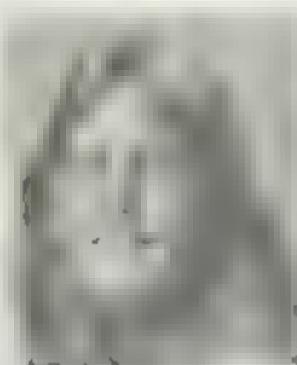
Susan Radar



John Ralston



Mark Ramos



Jennifer Ramsauer



Elaine Randolph



Lynne Reeves



Cathryn Reid

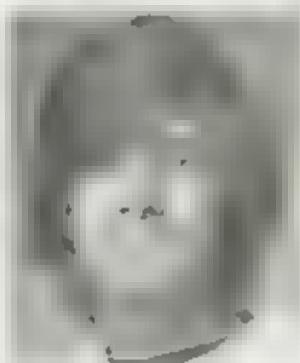


Monique Revis

Sophomore Adrift



Rhonda Richard



John Ridgway



Jeff Riley



Michael Riley



Leslie Roberts



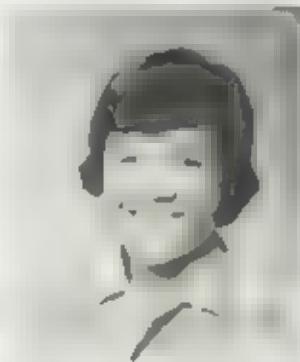
Shane Roberts



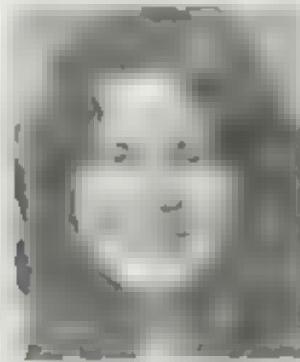
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Mike Roddy



Helledore Rodriguez



Racann Rodriguez



Alison Rogers



Kari Rogers



Anna Rojeksi



Humberto Roman



Claude Rosey



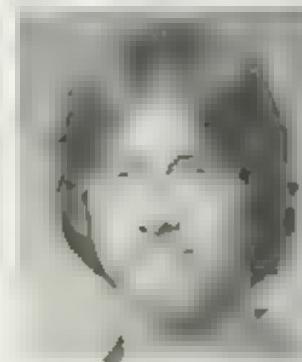
Douglas Rose



Rodney Rose



Judy Roseman



Steve Rue



Dario Ruiz



Robert Rueter



Flavia Russa



Martha Ruvalcaba



Suzi Ruzicka



Geoffrey Ryle



Suzette Saffold



Julie Salto



Aaron Salazar



Isabel Sanchez



Mike Satiller

On A Wave Of Knowledge



Stacie Schmidt



Albert Schneppeshoff



Aaron Schoneberger



Rick Schroeder



Christina Schiaklett



Christina Segler



Mike Seligman



Jim Sentinger



Rubin Shannon



Lloyd Shaw



Joe Sheeny



Beth Shields

Practice makes perfect —



"I can't seem to get the knack of clapping my hands



Susan Shields



Jamie Shomaker



Bill Shoop



Frances Silverstein



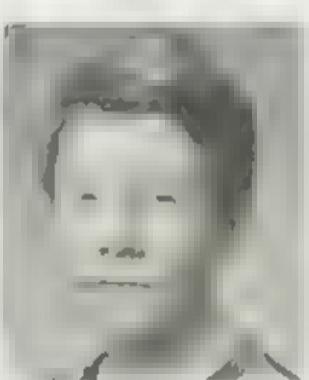
Bryan Sims



Richard Singerman



Mike Siprut



Sean Shehan



Ann Smalley

Class Of '82



Angela Smith



Amell Smith



Charlie Smith



Dan Smith



Donna Smith



Tom Smith



Andy Smithson



Steve Smithson



Bill Snodgrass



Jennifer Soles



Michael Soo Hoo



James Spagon



Robert Spector



Gary Spitzer



Louis Springer



Alison Spruck



Karena Stanfield



Carol Stanley



Danny Stark



Carry Steptoe



Thomas Stier

One of those days.

I thought boyfriends were supposed to be exciting

Sophomores Have The Spirit



Keith Simson



Michael Stoppel



Steve Stoppel



Richard Stone



Jon Strand



Candace Summers



Stacey Summers



Tim Takashima



Nancy Tanner



Hilda Tamoff



Matricia Tedford



Valda Tedford

— He's got the look! —

Hi there cutie! Come sit by me



Erik Thomas



John Thompson



Shan Tibbs



Stacey Testler



Rhonda Tell



Ranie Terhone



Derek Tillary



Martin Trujillo



Joseph Tse

Sophomores

Fashion a'la Westchester



One of Chris' nicer outfits



Kenda Tucker



Heather Tulloch



Ivy Turner



Jesse Turner



Todd Turquand



Bernadette



Ron Vargo



Renee Vanberckelaer



Clifford Van Leeuwen



Kathy Vann



Vicki Vasek



Darrin Victor



Maria Villagomez



Mike Vincent



Patty Wagner



Michelle Walkoff



Carlos Walker



Robert Walker



Susan Walker



Sydney Walker



Phil Wallace

— Are People Too —



Marya Walter



Debbie Ward



John Warren



Andre Washington



Mark Watkins



Barnell Weathersby



Crystal Weathersby



Bridget Webb



Craig Wedder



Jean Weiss



Angela Weeks



Julie Welther



Barbara Westlake



Artur Wester



Valoma Whatley



Dale Wheatley



Ramona Whelan



Danny White



Karen White



Pam Whitmyer



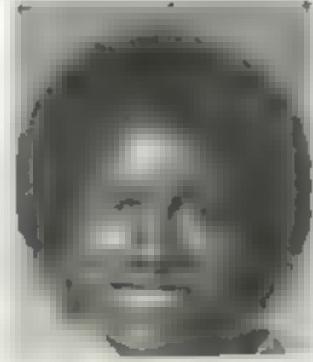
Nathan Wilcox

— 3's company —



It's obvious who the couple is

Sophomores Light The Way



Andrea Williams

Carolyn Williams

Desdre Williams

Ilene Williams



LaDawn Williams

Sean Williams

Traci Williams



Ronald Willis

Brian Wilson

Donna Wilson

Maggie Wilson

John Windveller

Pat Wingate



Rodney Witherson

Allan Winn

Inger Winston

Laura Wirkk

Glen Wood

Krista Woodbury



Valerie Woodhams

Don Worthey

Elisea Yniguz

Al Young

Steve Young

Patricia Zymet



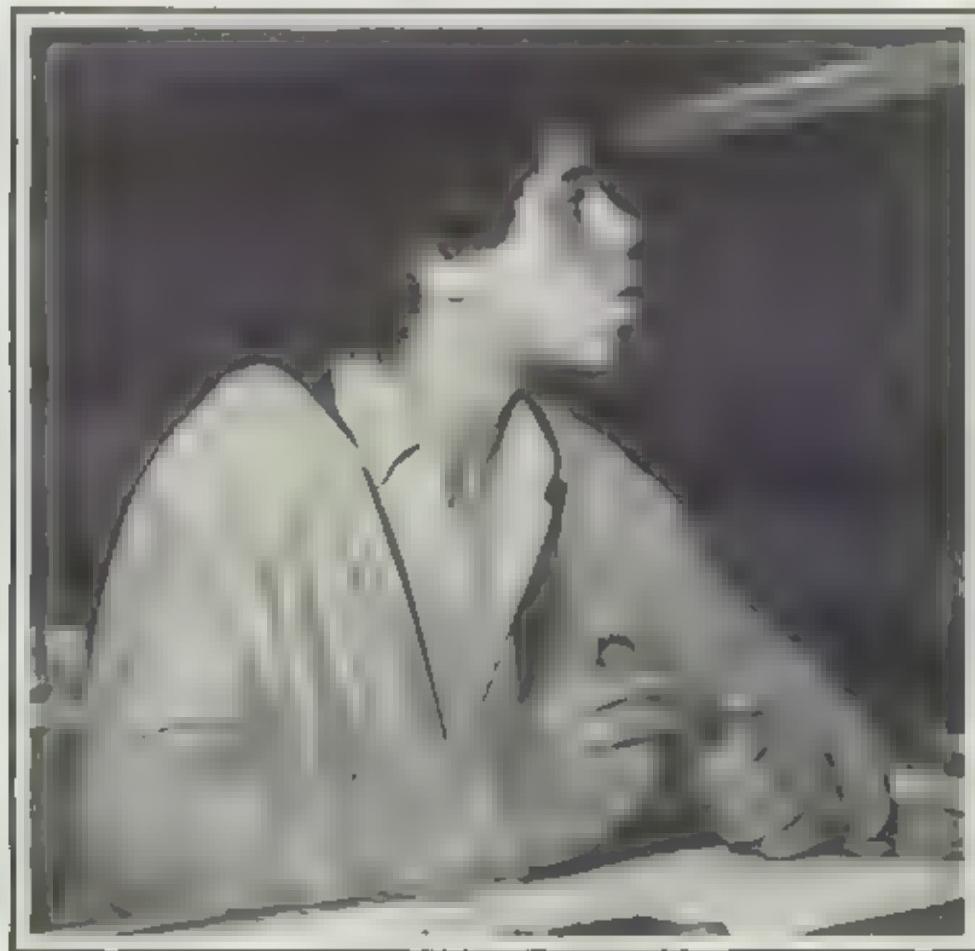
What are you STARING at?



Friends forever



That guy makes my orange M&M turn green



How come my compass won't do that?



My diet starts tomorrow



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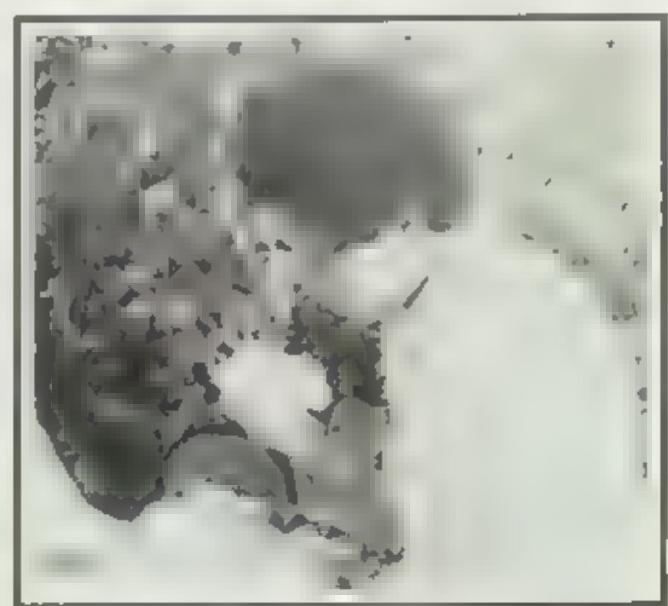
The remake of Mr. Bill



There he is again



There's another side to this story



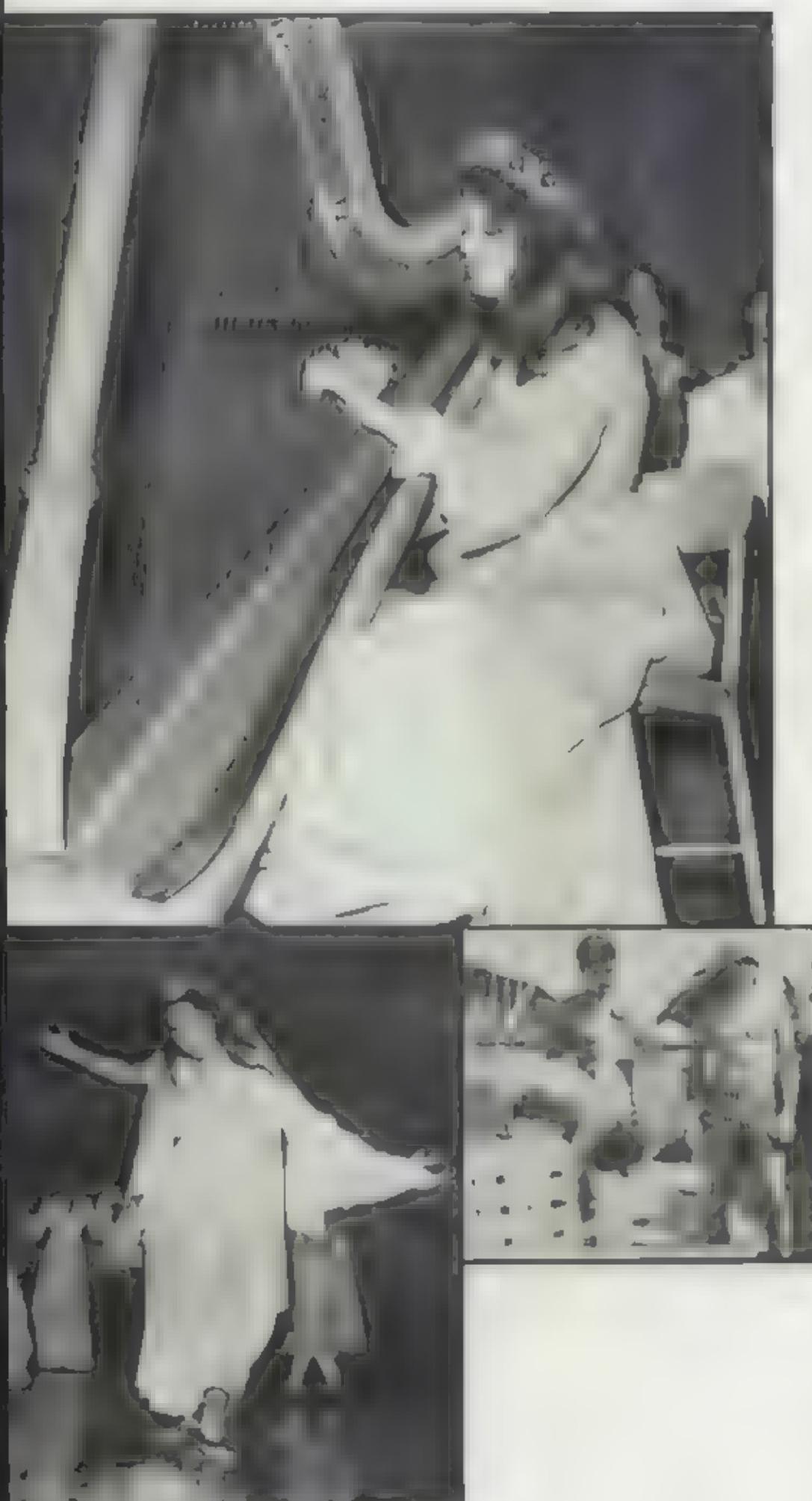
What did they put in this thing??

Organizations and Clubs



Present

A.F.S.
C.S.F.
Choir
Drama
Gabrinians
Girls' and Boys' League
Golf Club
Graphic Arts
Junior Class Steering Committee
Knights and Ladies
Lydians
New Life Club
Orchestra
Senators
Senior Class Steering Committee
Ski Club
Sophomore Class Steering Committee
Stage Crew
Stage Design
Student Government



Past

Aerospace Club
Alphas
Amicae
Arondas
Bible Study
Bicycle Club
Big Sisters
Biology Club
Bowling Club
Chansonettes
Checker Club
Choraliens
Commercants
Consorts
Contemporary Affairs
Corvettes
Counts
Cribbage and Bridge
Explorers
French Club
F.T.A.
Future Teachers
Gammas
Guys Club
Hi Tones
Hostess Club
Interact Club
International Set
Investment Club
Iotas
Key Club
Lambdas
Latin Club
Leadership
Light Crew
Medical Arts
Nurses Club
Pep Club
Philosophy Club
Photography Club
Projection
Quill and Scroll
Radio Club
Russian Club
Sailing Club
Science Club
Shereens
Spanish Club
Squires
Stage
Tea Cups
Thrift Club
Travel Club
Usherettes
V.I.C.A.
Workshop
Writer's Lab

GALS

The original Lydians and Gabrinians, many years ago, were two of the four service groups collectively called G.A.L.S. clubs, worked for the Pop Warner games on Saturday afternoons. The present Lydians sold cookies in exchange for canned foods during the canned foods drive, sang carols during the Christmas holiday in front of the Fox Hills Hospital, and have sold pickles, cupcakes and carnations in order to make its contribution to student body funds. The clubs spirit is shown through its continued assistance to Westchester High. The Gabrinians is a very active service organization which constructively combines fun and work. The other two clubs that are no longer at Westchester were called the Arondas and the Shereens. This year the Lydians welcomed it's first male members to the club. The original G.A.L.S. Clubs symbol is in the center of the page.



Gabrinians Row One: Staci Kato, Diane Mizumi, Melissa Hultgren, Ana Romano, Kelly Coleman, Ann Allard, Penny Bernstein, Beverly Ross. Row Two: Tracy Tanji, Cindy Lee, Alyssa Mugrage, Angel Lim, Linda Barnett, Lisa Boags, Jeri Gross, Norma Edwards. Row Three: Lisa Bailey, Sharon Senor, Samantha Hutchison, Pat Walton, Lorelei Carter, Becky Armstrong, Eileen O'Conner, Shamiram Gharibeh, Stephanie Kaufman. Row Four: Deanna Figueroa, Linda Campbell, Pat Wingate, Heather Koster, Natalie March, Laura Breunig, Jana Savage.



Clubs



Lydians Plus Two Row One Stacey Anthony Cassandra Higgins Robyn Lawrence Lisa Jackson Dawn Taylor Paula Taylor Chonise Williams Row Two Mrs Maddox sponsor Sandra Lujan Sheila Purnell Daphne Sneart Florence Martin Natalia Gray Cathie Cavaliere Janet Bradshaw Valerie Evans Evelyn Chennault Lori Taylor Xanthia Maddox Tracey Jones Katrina Parker Donny Contero and Brian Reaves (plus two) Silvia Sardinas Monica Desbigny Portia Johnson Zna Portlock Bambi Pulce Lavone Barnett Row Four Valerie Brown Jackie Plick Debbie Nash



Drama, a Net of Nuts



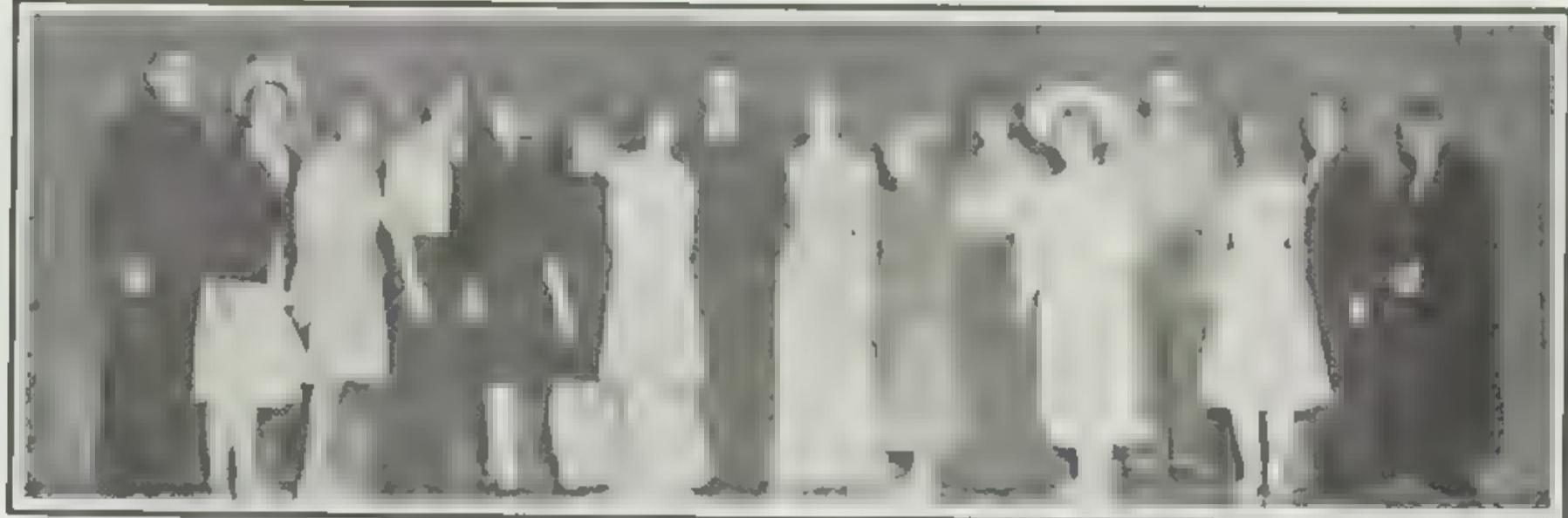
"Oh Gawd! I forgot my lines!"

Row One: Phyllis Nicholson Jen Gross Mr. Uskovich Carol Bullard Lyn Reynolds Tina Smith Tascha Zachery Schelle Pugh Susan Roach Row Two: Carlton Van Pulton Mel LeBlanc Jan Epstein Kim Stevenson Dawn Carter Alecia Walker Alecia Williams Lauren Woolsey Row Three: David Vail Shannon Record Pat Hobbs Chuck Dagenet Leona Mitchell Zachary Love Bennie Griffin Lucy Montes



Carlton the Doorman

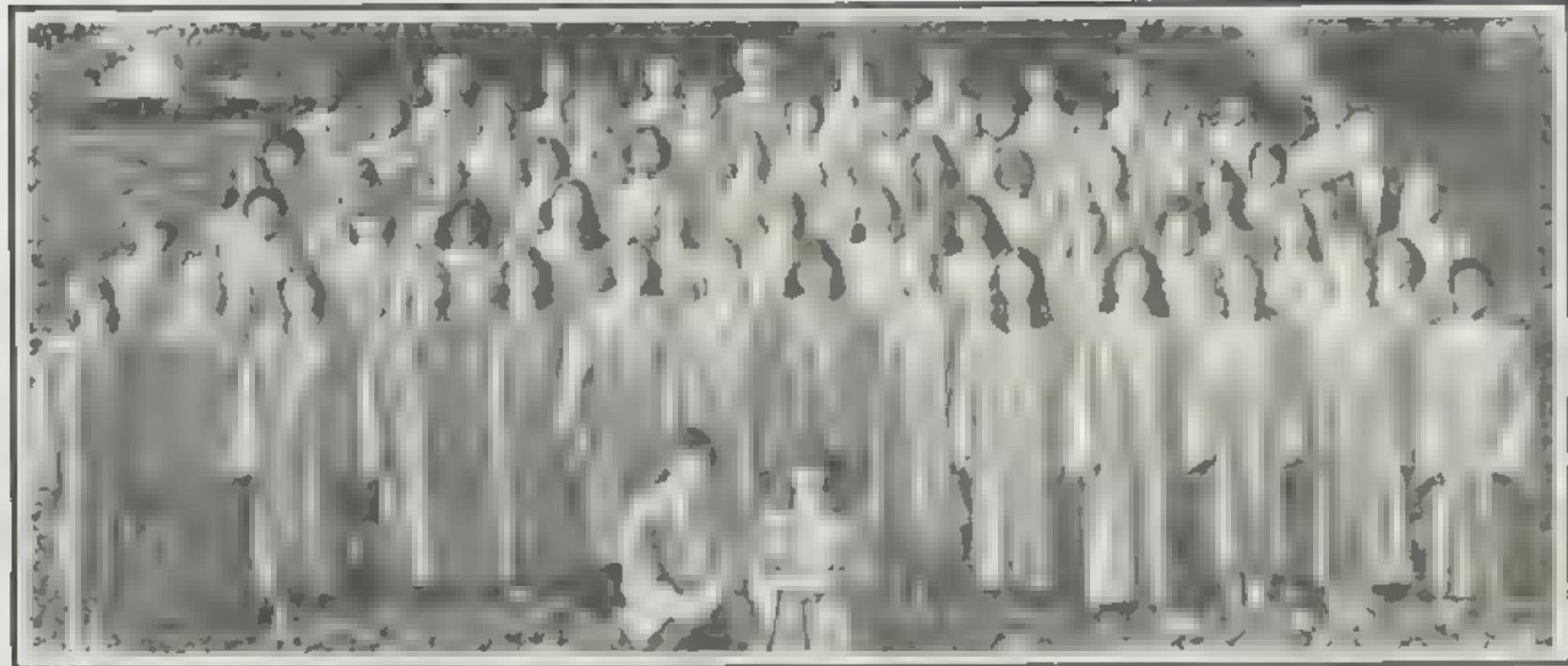




Drama has occupied an important place in Westchester's activity schedule since the school opened. Although there have been many drama teachers in the past twenty five years the students have excelled in performance both at school and in competitions. Trophies for award winning productions include competition in city area and county wide festivals. Students have won individual awards for pantomime monologue, starring and supporting acting roles, and directing. Drama students have gone on to professional careers in acting and allied fields. One Westchester High School graduate in drama received a scholarship from the Drama Teachers Association of Southern California. In twenty five years Westchester has placed or won every competitive drama festival in the county. The present Drama coach is Mr. Uskovich. The picture at the top of the page is Drama in the 1950's.



Choir Sings Up a Storm



Row One Howard Choi Jill Wheatley Row Two Beth Owens Lisa Hobbs Shannon Record Ann Allard Melissa Hultgren Marianne Nems
Beth Greene Angel Linn Amy Plotnick Reiko Sato Ana Romano Kathi Schwartz Janet Reynolds Dionne Fields Row Three Kelly Coleman
Una Forde Carolyn Gerhardt Karen White Kathy Nixon Phyllis Nicholson Ellen Simon Pat Walston Jane Singh Lisa Marnach Dawn Taylor
Julie Kvamme Dondi St Lewis Row Four Crystal Bowers Pam Motoney Linda Campbell Marion Mendyk Val Brown Karmella Hatcher Deborah
Sheets Stephanie Kaulman Stephanie Evans Elaine Randolph Gretchen Minetree Lucy Fisher Cheryl Richardson Row Five Antonio Torres
Marion Perry Geoffrey Ryle Tom Woodall John Lee Allan Han Peter Washington Pat Hobbs Bill Farnum Brad Ballard Mr. Wood Row
Six Kevin Ward Jim Stephens David Morris SungHo Hong Tom Haas Dan Clark John Andrusko Carlton Van Putten Bill Gerhardt Rodney
Rose Mitch Ragsdale



"You had onions for lunch, didn't you?"



Oomphah Ooooompahhh



Elizabeth and Bradford

Choir began in 1953 under the direction of Mr. Joe Herman when Orville Wright Jr. High School was combined with Westchester High School. Mr. Robert Wood is the present director and has been since 1958. Over the years Choir has performed at many banquets, meetings etc.

in the Los Angeles area. They also perform in concerts, festivals and annually in the fall and spring productions. Mr. Wood feels that its membership is comprised from some of the brightest, liveliest and active young people on campus. Mr. Wood we want to thank you for all the hard work and beautiful shows you've given us for the past 23 years.



Hallelujah



Knights and Ladies Swab the Deck.



Row One Beth Owens Laurie Varner Janet Reynolds Don Wolter Valene Evans Ana Romano Jon Wada Diane Rose Row Two Debbie Sheets Jay King Beth Greene Mackey Matthews Dawn Taylor Wendy Choi Mercedes Mondragon Mrs Johnson Row Three Kevin Hollis Curtis Short Wendy Becker Julie Kvamme Sue Behns Margaret Garitska Joe Amster Lisa Jackson Row Four Jim Stephens David Weissman Aaron Pincus John Lee LaVonn Neal Sung Ho Hong Brian Hoff Brian Reaves Zna Portlock Row Five Bill Wheeler Neil Holmes Allan Han Kelvin Davis Pam Moroney Jill Wheatley Doug Horton Stephanie Kaufman

In 1956 when Westchester High School first opened, the Knights and Ladies was organized. The organization is the top honorary service group at Westchester. Its members are made up of seniors who have achieved outstanding scholarship while giving service to the school. The Knights and Ladies go to work the very first day of school, passing out maps and information to new students. They usher at many school functions such as Open House and graduation. Ever wonder who puts up the flags every morning? Well even if you haven't, the Knights and Ladies are responsible for the daily raising of the flags as one of the many services they perform for the school. Thank you to the past and present Knights and Ladies for all these years of worthwhile service to the school. The picture below is of the spirited Knights and Ladies of the 1960's.

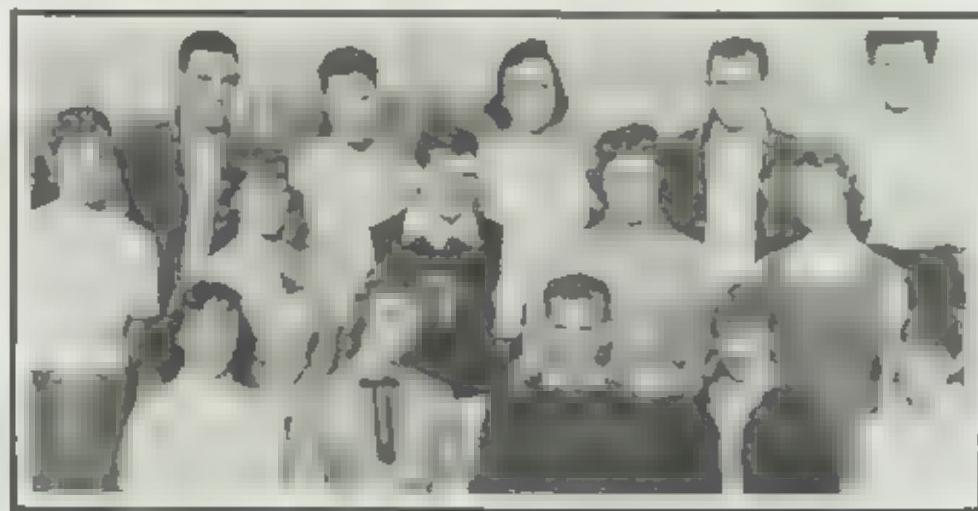


Girls' League and Boys' League

In the early years of Girls' and Boys' League many activities such as the Spinsler's Hop, cake baking contests, canned goods drives, and the ever popular Boys' League Car Show inspired spirit throughout the school. The Girls' and Boys' Leagues, still the hardest organizations in the school, allow any student to participate as much or as little as they wish. Each year both groups have a week dedicated to them in which they sponsor special activities throughout the school and community. The picture at the bottom of the page is of Boys' and Girls' League in the 1950's.



Row One Darryl Sease Phil Mahre Maria Russell Howard Natpak Ingemar Stenmark Janet Bradshaw Valene Evans Bridget Harper Evelyn Chennault Robyn Lawrence Row Two Angel Michel Neil Cadman Chris McBride Derrell Angelo Lavonne Barnett Carla Epting Mrs Crews Lisa Jackson Row Three Khaled Issa Allan Han John Lee Mark Takenaka Gary Gillespie Susan Roach Charon Gay Dawn Taylor Lavonne Neal Paula Taylor Zma Portlock



Student Government On The Move.



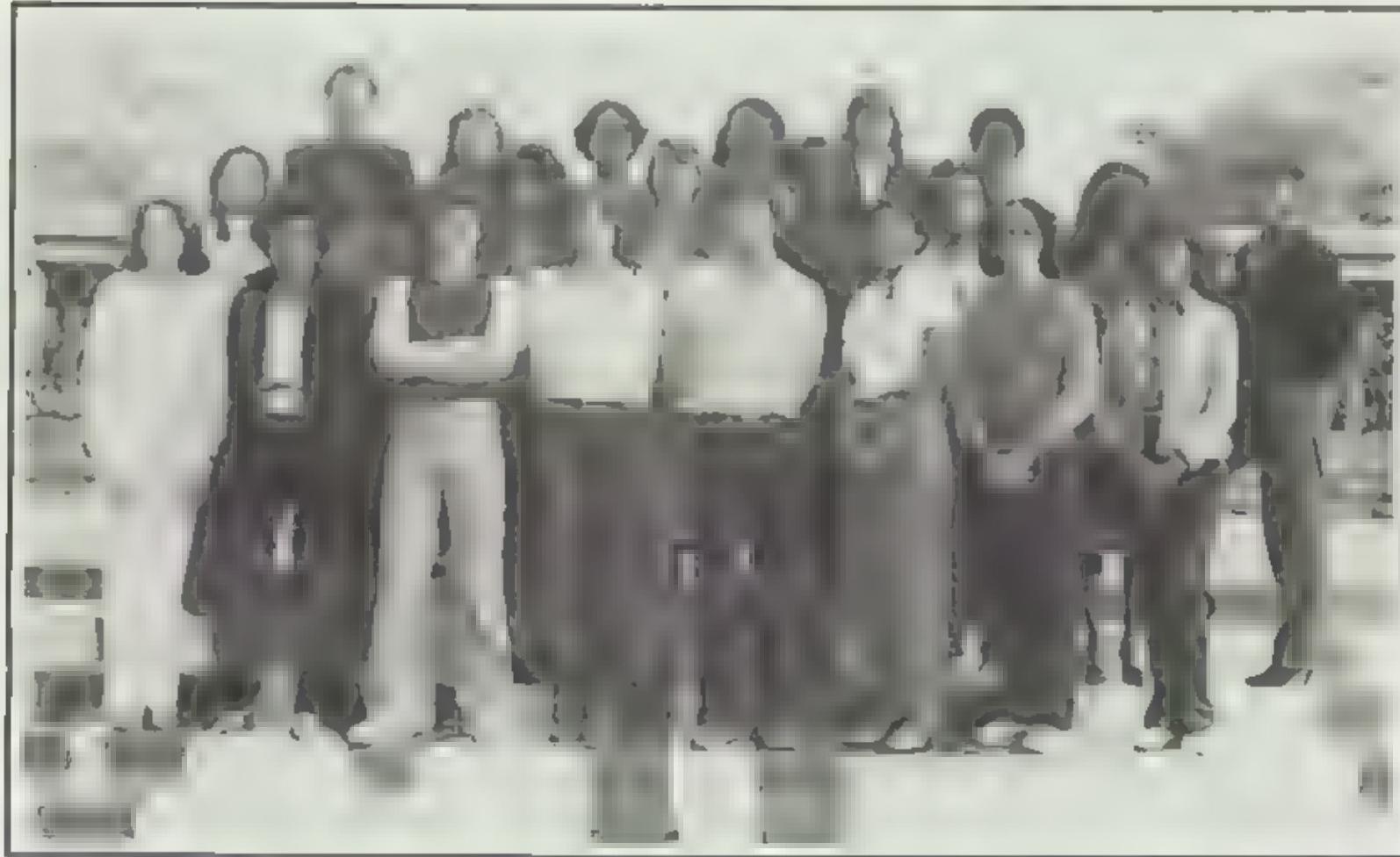
A look at the Sixties with Student Government.

Student Government, the official link between the administrators and the student body, has been around since the opening of Westchester. They meet every 2nd period under the direction of Mr Garnes, and work hard to bring school spirit and pride to Westchester's students. They try to work out activities that will please the majority of people and listen to the student body's ideas and try to make them work. Student Government is the backbone of Westchester High's student body and will remain so as long as there is a spirited student who is willing to work hard!



Fall Student Government Row One Cheryl McSwain Carla Epting Carla Garrett Zona Smith Jackie Levine Carolyn Mathews Sharon Jackson Row Two Pam Moroney Beth Greene Mike Mahan Stacey Evans Lyn Reynolds Alice Sears Bridget Harper Row Three Julie Kvamme Sue Belina Lavone Barnett Zna Portlock Row Four Mr Garnes Gary Gillespie President Kelvin Davis Jill Wheatley Doug Horton

Senators Steering the Wheel



Spring Student Government Row One Diane Rose Bridget Harper Craig Kaplan Jo Ellen Woolf John La Pata Janet Dotson Jackie Lezine Row Two Ichuan Han President Zna Portlock Robyn Lawrence Lyn Reynolds Stacey Evans Alice Sears Lavone Barnett Candy Brown Row Three Mr. Garners, Merry Bantz, Valerie Brown, Lisa Jackson, Jennifer Hague, Janine Dewitt



Senators. Row One: Cristy Nelson, Vivian Agia, Liz Tiger, Pamela Arli Penny Bernstein. Row Two: Alma House, David Rose, Jeff Levine, Brad Ballard, Aaron Pincus, Sidney Walker. Row Three: DeJuan Nash, Victor Miner, Tina Smith, Gladys Logan, Natalie Grant, Phyllis Bennett, Margaret Vennie

The Senators are the liaison between Student Government and the students. The Vice-President of Student Government presides over the elected representatives from period two classes. They inform the student body about the important events happening in the school and what's going on in Student Government. Senators have been around since the early days of Westchester High. Mr. Garners is the present sponsor. Keep up the good work Senators!



Orchestra - A Wave of Sound



Row One Steve Campman, Francis Silverstein, Sue Belina Row Two Ana Romano, Kelly Coleman, Linda Campbell, Richard Chow, Wendy Becker, Deanna Bayless, Lauta Breunig Row Three, Stephanie Kaufman, Howard Choi, Richard Bean, Jim Lindal, Shaun Lindsey, Arthur Wexler, John Andrusko, Sharon Senor, Darrel Archibald, Pam Cardone, Karmella Hatcher
Row Four Mr Robert Wood, Bill Gerhardt, Jon Wada

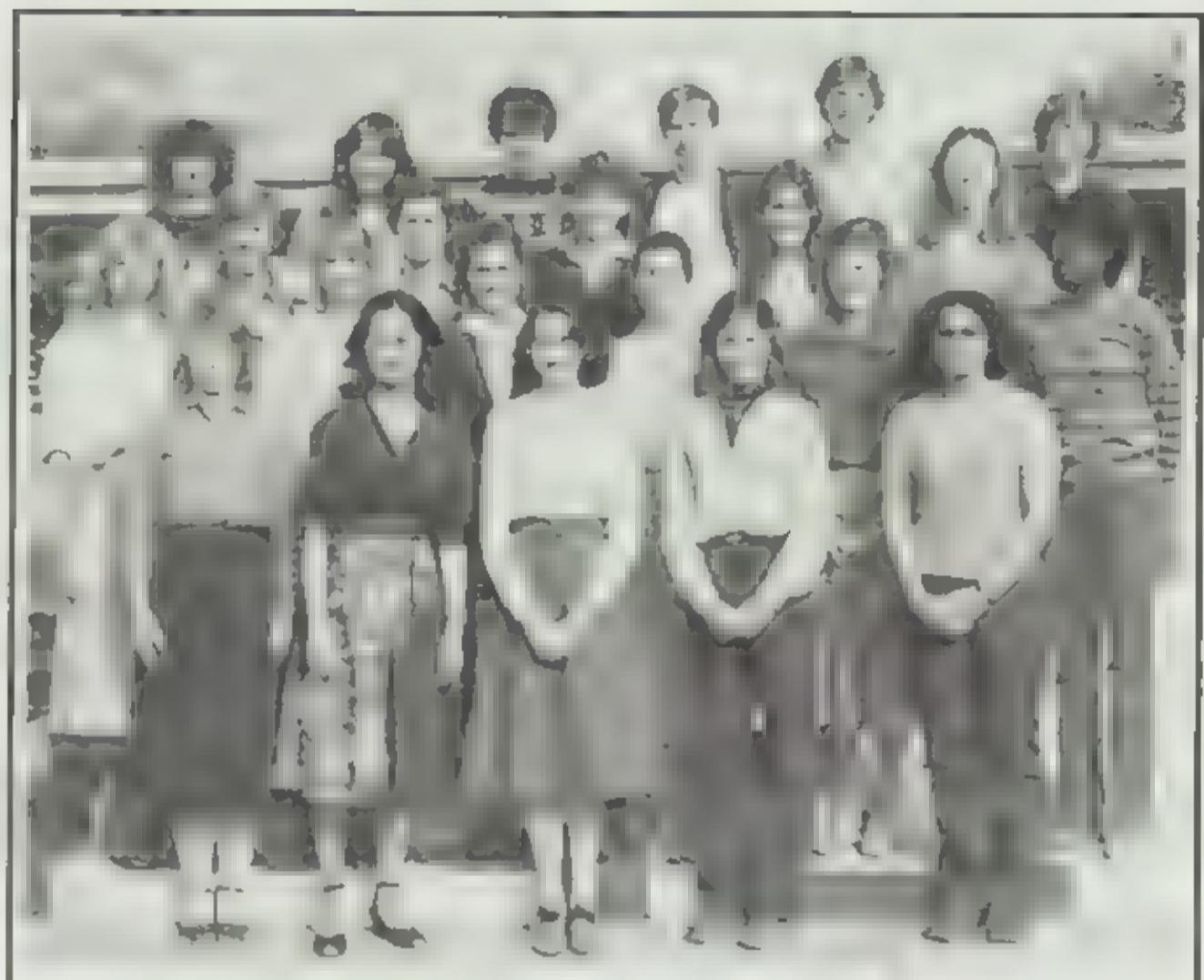


Orchestra has been at Westchester High since it first opened. It has had many excellent directors throughout the years, the present director is Mr Robert Wood, who took over this year. Because of the cutbacks last year Orchestra no longer meets daily but on Tuesday nights. Orchestra is made up of dedicated musicians who proved their talent in the Christmas program Winter Processions. The picture below is of the High Tones during the 1950's.



C.S.F. - They're In Ship Shape.

"Scholarship for service" is the motto for the California Scholarship Federation. C.S.F. is one of thousands of chapters that is organized into five regions and has been a part of Westchester High since it opened. They sponsor a Sealbearer Tea in the spring, co-sponsor the Senior Awards Night, send students to C.S.F. conferences, and attend the C.S.F. day at Disneyland. C.S.F. participates in the Seymour Statewide Scholarship competition in which they send several seniors to represent the school. Last year Michael Gartska was a finalist, a first in our chapter's history. The present sponsor of C.S.F. is Leni Cook.



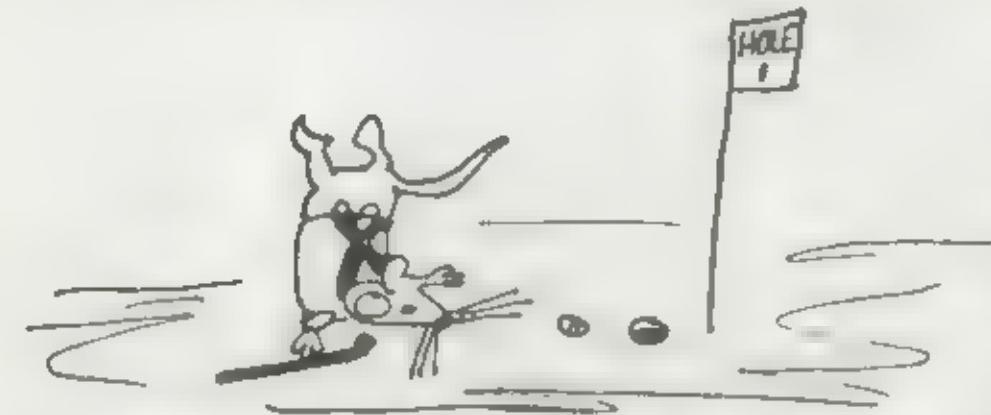
Row One: Janet Reynolds, Ana Romano, Diane Rose, Dorit Wolter, Eva Montenegro. Row Two: Debbie Sheets, Sue Belina, Julie Kramme, Beth Greene, Lisa Marnach, Zsa Portlock. Row Three: Jay King, David Weisman, Margaret Gartska, Stephanie Kaufman, Barbie Lund. Row Four: Aaron Pincus, Gretchen Minetree, Jeff Schlein, Adam Wright, Kelvin Davis, Brian Hoff



Row One: Penny Burnstein Vice President, Colleen Krauch Treasurer, Sue Belina President, Karen Marnach Secretary. Row Two: Samantha Hutchinson, Diane Misumi, Richard Singerman, Ann Allard, Angel Lim, Lisa Hall, Rachel Aronoff, Sally Hostmann, Jennifer Weisman, Deanna Johnston, Michael Boviatis. Row Three: Kevin Miller, Chuck Sparks, Jana Savage, Valerie Gilbreth, Linda Campbell, Becky Armstrong, Eileen O'Conner, Monica Derbigny, Florence Martin, Edward Yang, Steve Susich. Row Four: Humpetdork Shablonick, Jim Parsons, Gib Cooper, Lori Nuzuka, Pat Walston, Sean Foon, Lyn Reynolds, Deanna Bayless, Cheryl Richardson, Ms. Cook Advisor. Row Five: Kevin Meyerhoff, Mike Manahan, Neil Cadman, Ray Baughman, Dean Gilger, John Goodman, Mark Jacobson, Garrett Doyle.



Golf Club and Graphic Arts



Golf Club Row One Danny Nakasane Elura Smith Michael Dehan Row Two Peter Zilgalvis Neil Cadman Mr Davis Ray Baughman.

This year the Golf Club met every Wednesday at noon in H1. Mr. Davis has been the faithful sponsor since 1968. He always welcomes anyone who may want to join, including beginners. Most of the time is spent practicing the game and learning the rules.

Many people don't realize the importance of Graphic Arts at Westchester High. They supply the printed programs for the Choir and Drama shows, award certificates, office forms, etc.

The students continuously produce professional looking work. They should be commended for their determination and ambition. Thanks guys.



Graphic Arts Row One James Lanley Row Two Mr Moreno Arnell Smith Rick Luergo



Ski Club and New Life Club



Ski Club Row One Robert Olareon Max Donald Howard Choi Lars Fraiser Kim Jones Jim Parsons Sean Foon Row Two Peggy Pierce Chuck Sparks Peter Zilgalvis Ranjit Gupta Kevin Meyerhoff Bennie Schwartz alias Brian Hoff Gib Cooper Row Three Ann Allard Liz Tieger Martha Spach Danny Nakasoni Marianne Neins George Russo Mitch Ragsdale Harry Hirshman



New Life Row One Raylene Meyerson Carol Lyon Jim Curtis Amy Gilbreath Jen Gross Kevin Miller Row Two Lorrie Carter Norma Edwards Shamiran Ganben Deanna Figeroa Jerry Jacobs Sharon Senor Robert Roberts Dawn Taylor Dionne Fields Jim Stephens Row Three Speaker Bob Mitchell Tim Tindall Bill Gerhardt Mr. Martin Robert Keal Scott Rader Speaker Mr. Knight

The New Life Club was recently reorganized at Westchester High and has been around since 1975. They meet weekly in the classroom of their sponsor, Mr. Knight. Each week a discussion is lead on various aspects of the scriptures: historical background, interpretations, and applications.



Senior, Junior, and

Mrs. Beverly Clopton has been the sponsor of the Senior Steering Committee since 1979. The committee is responsible for the planning and coordination of all senior activities. Last year many students participated in the Care-free gum contest and won 1,000 dollars in prize money which went into the student body fund. This committee was responsible for the spectacular planning of this year's Prom. Mrs. Clopton urges more students to participate in decisions affecting them by attending steering committee meetings.



Senior Class Officers Row One Gary Gillespie, Lavone Barnett Row Two: Valerie Evans, Stephanie Kaufman Row Three: Zna Portlock, Brian Reaves



Senior Class Steering Committee Row One: Theresa Lawrence, Donald Contreras, Julie Martin, Bridget Harper, Denise Armstrong, Cathie Cavaliere. Row Two: Sue Belina, Beth Greene, Natalia Gray, Valerie Evans, Evelyn Chennault. Row Three: Natalie McCanelley, Sheila Lowery, Robyn Lawrence, Zna Portlock, Dawn Taylor. Row Four: DeJaun Nash, David Ferguson, Lavone Barnett, Lisa Jackson. Row Five: Gary Gillespie, Brian Reaves, John Lee, Stephanie Kaufman, LaVonn Neal, Valerie Brown.



Junior Class Officers Row One: Stacey Evans Row Two: Natalie Grant, Arlene Broussard, Liz Eakin

Sophomore Steering Committee



Sophomore Steering Committee. Row One: Andrea Williams, Cheryly McSwain
Jennifer Soles, Shania Goodie, Tina Andelin, Tami Peronneau. Row Two: Nancy
Ferrer, Karen Purnell, Kim Johnson, Adriane Purnell, Daniel Angelo, Bridgett Webb
Row Three: Avis Ware, Danielle Dulan, Linda Turner. Row Four: Gladys Logan
Rodney Rose, Gina Lombardo.

The Junior Steering Committee is responsible for the planning and coordination of all the junior activities throughout the year, as well as raising funds in preparation for their senior activities. The Juniors were, as typical of previous years, busy with the preparation of their senior prom.

Although the activities of the Sophomore Steering Committee were somewhat restricted, the sophomores got their ideas and feelings together to plan for their junior year. The main goal of this steering committee is to meet and talk with fellow students who have expressed the need to develop their ideas.



Sophomore Steering Committee Officers. Row One: Jennifer Soles
Shania Goodie, Cheryly McSwain, Andrea Williams, Tami
Peronneau. Row Two: Tina Andelin.



Junior Steering Committee. Row One: Penny Bernstein, Lisa Boage, Lisa Hall, Isabel Marrero, Ellen Jamilosa,
Angel Lim, Stacey Evans. Row Two: Lyn Reynolds, Kelly Coleman, Ann Allard, Linda Barnett, Beverly Ross
Alyssa Mugrage, Janet Dotson. Row Three: Rachel Aronoff, Lorelei Carter, Melissa Hultgren, Brian Purcell
Phyllis Nicholson. Row Four: Christy Nelson, Liz Eakin, Linda Campbell, Alice Sears, Pat Walston, Paula
Taylor. Row Five: Jeff Levine, Stacey Anthony, Portia Johnson.



Stage Design and Stage Crew



Row One: George Rick, Debbie Ramey, Herbie Harley Row Two: Deanna Figueroa, Andrea Ring, Jim Anderson, Tara Petrie, Mr. Uskovich, Tracy Maloy, Shereen Vance, Cathy Venegge Row Three: Len Herington, Robert Smotherman, Yvonne Carlson, Kim Kuddus, Sean Foon, Renee Taylor

Stage Design and Stage Crew are very important to the Creative Arts Department of Westchester High. Stage Design builds designs, and paints the sets for the Choir and Drama programs. Stage Crew makes sure everything runs smoothly, the lights, sound, and anything else that has to be done during the programs.

Stage Crew Row One: Ray Martin, Greg Halloway, Jeff Lavine Row Two: Kevin Clausman, Randy Hobdy



Our AFS Student



My name is Shonte Clayton and I was an American Abroad Student during the year 80-81. I became interested in the American Abroad Program in the 1979 school year. In October of that year I decided to apply for the year program. In December of that year I found that the country I was going to was Argentina. Needless to say I was very excited and anxious. The city I lived in was Rosario, the third largest city in Argentina.

My AFS year was one of the happiest and trying times of my life. One of the hardest things for me to learn was the language. No one in my new family spoke English so it was up to me to learn Spanish as quickly as I could. Within two months I was speaking the language well enough to be understood. Living in Argentina for me was quite different from living in the U.S. The people are much more affectionate in Argentina. Upon greetings and departures everyone kisses each other on the cheeks. This was one of the customs I really loved as it made me feel closer to the people and helped me to adjust to life in Argentina. I gained so much during that year much more than I would have gained if I had stayed here in the U.S. Being away for a year helped me to grow and to be more aware of myself and my surroundings. It wasn't the easiest time in my life but it's one I will always cherish. I recommend the American Abroad Program to anyone who is seriously interested.



Cruising Around The World



Row One: Jeri Gross, Paula Taylor, Margaret Gartka, Lucy Fisher Row Two: Ichuan Han, Allan Han, Rieko Sato Row Three: Lisa Marnach, Norma Edwards, Marianne Neiens Row Four: Kathy Schwarz, Cheryl Richardson, Veda Hill, Shamiram Gharibeh, Merry Bantz

A.F.S. is a worldwide organization which was conceived during W.W.I. by concerned ambulance drivers. It was intended to promote greater understanding among people of all nations with the hope of no more wars. However, it didn't get started nationwide until 1946. The organization has been an active part of Westchester High since the school began in 1956. Being a part of the A.F.S. club leads the way to many exciting opportunities. Each year about 7,000 students, participating in the exchange program, leave home for one of the sixty countries involved in the A.F.S. program.



Lucy, Rieko and Marianne

Many students prefer to explore the U.S. on the A.F.S. Domestic Program, or even just share the fun at our school with students of different nationalities. This year we had students from Japan, Rieko Sato; Luxemburg, Marianne Netens; and Australia, Lucy Fisher. Under the supervision of Mr. Foote, A.F.S. had car washes pizza sales and other activities to raise money for the program. When you need a bigger challenge . . . When your horizons seem the same . . . When you want a little excitement . . . Think of A.F.S. The picture below is of A.F.S. in the 1960's



A Joining of Countries



Winter Wonderland

A Moonlight Stroll on Deck



Hey, you're suppose to be dancing with me



When is this dance going to be over?



Not too close for comfort



Kiss me, I got the Signal

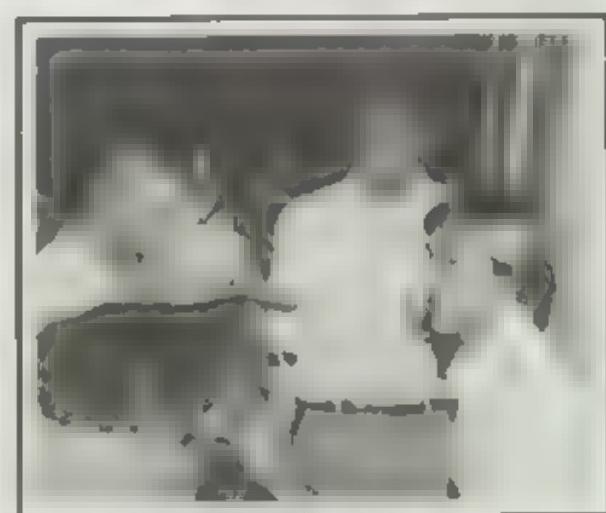


What will Bob say?



Earth calling Frances

Come in Frances



How is she doing that??

on the Queen Mary



Kelvin Davis, Sharon Jackson, Brian Reaves, Lisa Jackson, King Howard Choi, Queen Jill Wheatley, Stephanie Kaufman, Doug Herren, Anna Portlock, Gary Gillespie



You have ring around the collar.



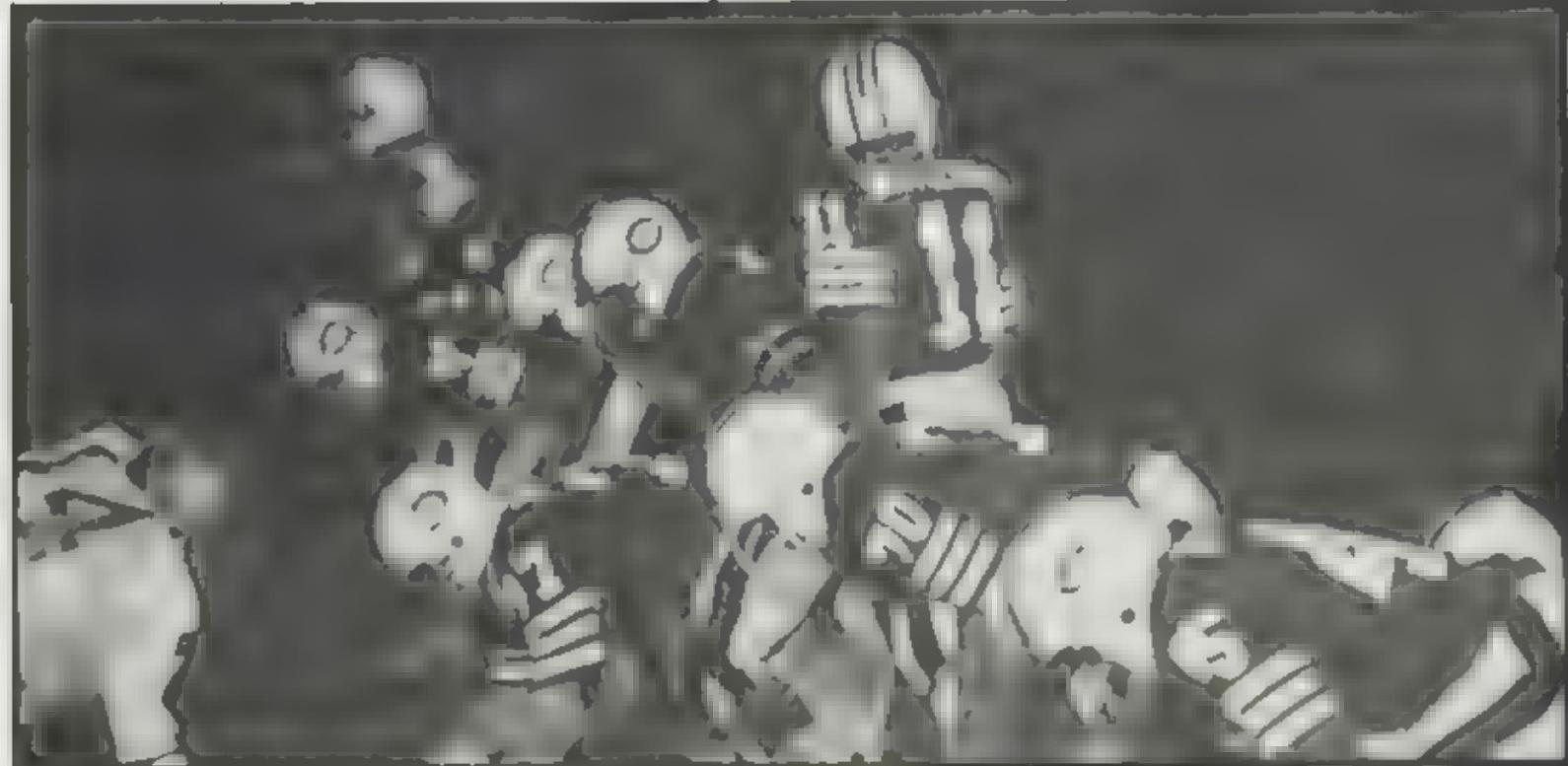
Wonder what his next move will be?



No, I'm not with her.



Sports



Flight Song

Flight fight for Westchester High
keeping the red and white in the sky
Send our volley cheer on high
Shake down the thunder from the sky
Whether the game be track or with ball
Westchester High will win over all
When our loyal team comes marching
Home from the victory!





Sailing Through the Years



With Willie Westchester



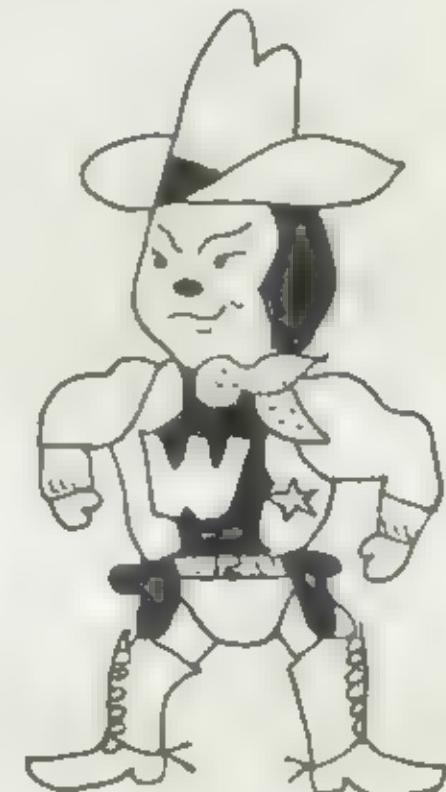
A little-known and long-forgotten symbol of Westchester High School is the dormant figure of Willie Westchester, the fighting beacon which Westchester used to rally around in the beginning days of WHS more than 25 years ago. You may have seen this figure around campus, believe it or not it still does exist. However, you may have to do a little digging to find him (her) now.

Bearing a strong resemblance to a hybrid cross between Superman and Flash Gordon, the most popular rendition of our fighting mascot is one of a fighting pose standing up to the fight of opponents such as Crenshaw, Hamilton, Palisades, Venice or University, the members of the Western League which WHS has been associated with since 1955. In more recent years, thanks to reteaming, the opponents have changed but Willie still fights for the Comets, staving off all foes.

Willie made his first appearance in 1952 in that year's copy of the school annual "Flight". It might be interesting to note that Westchester graduated its first senior class during that year of '52. The current campus site was a combination of an Armed Forces missile site and bean field with the current Orville Wright Junior High School campus acting as home for all WHS students. The only major change occurring in some 15 years in the character was more cosmetic than anything else with the original "WHS" in bold block letters removed from the cape in 1958. Willie's winged ears were given an overhaul during '58 at the same time as the original wings, which could be confused with overdone chicken wings, were more dramatically done than in the original version. The ears were also lifted higher toward the heavens that Willie was to represent rather than the old drawn back look that represented speed.

With aerodynamics and space travel so commonplace at that time, Westchester students turned back the hands of time and contemplated a Western motif for their steadfast little mascot. Proving that every idea does come full cycle, the Western theme again becomes popular with the success of "Urban Cowboy", Willie Nelson, J.R. Ewing and others. While Willie as a cowpoke never got out of the planning stage (with then principal, Mr. Joseph Herman adding a helping hand), the idea was to dress Willie entirely in Western gear with boots, hat and all.

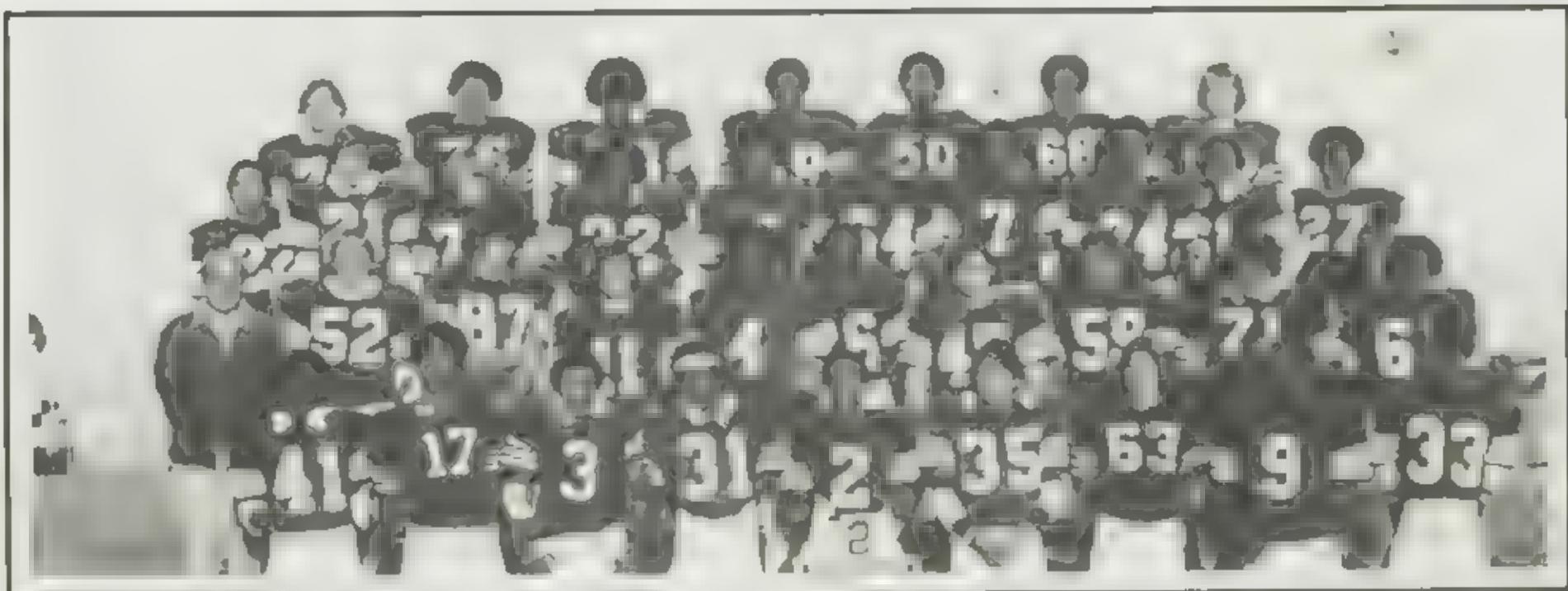
The only original concept that would remain is the red and white face, those lovable ears and a new wrinkle with the word "Comets", which formed a jagged lightning in red, from a smoldering sixgun. This idea then died out once again for lack of enthusiasm. Willie has, like a lot of Westchester's traditions, gone dormant to the ravages of time, old age and just plain and simple forgetfulness. Willie's "Golden Moments" did occur in 1971 when the live appearance of the famous mascot arose in the person of Randy Johnson at WHS football games. Unfortunately, maybe the reason that Willie declined to exist after '71 was the combination of his "alter ego", Mr. Johnson graduating, and Willie's work producing a deflating 4-5 football record after going to the playoffs the year before. Recent attempts at a new mascot have fallen flat on their faces, with the only honest attempt coming during 1980 when a new and modernized "Comets" logo appeared. These drawings are some of the past and present symbols. Who knows, maybe they'll be future ones, too. Phil Sandovil



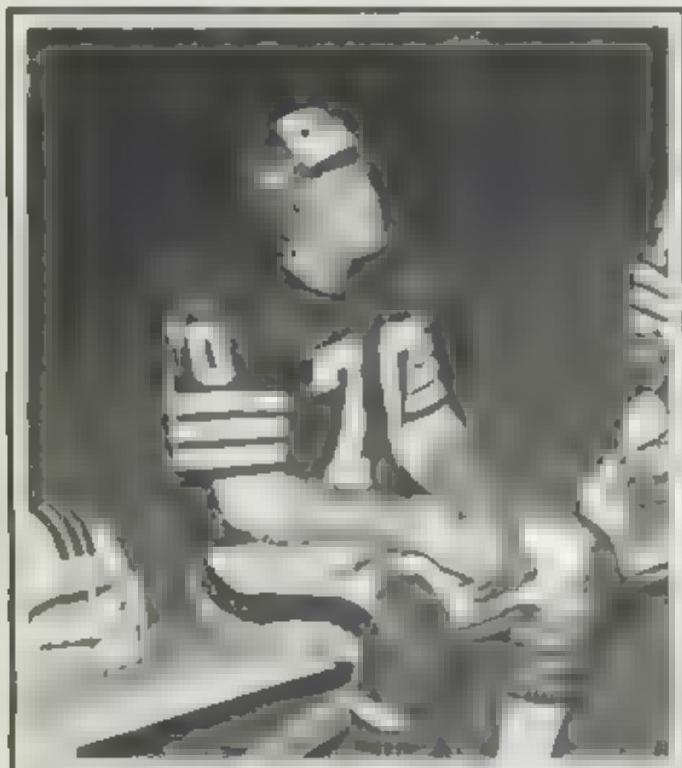
What if our new school mascot would become Wild Woolly Willy West chester?



Varsity Football



First Row: Joe Rodgers, Brandon McColl, Aaron Sexton, Kary Tong, Darryl Tanner, Jose Rams, Greg Risenicks, Rick Cox, Tyrone Johnson. Second Row: Kevin Clyseman, Bill Via, Bob Smotherman, Leroy Allen, Darrin Harley, Pat Hobbs, Gerald Carty, Kurt Washington, Eric Porter. Third Row: Michael Katz, Robert Berry, Jim Bush, VonDreie McDaniels, Michael Jacobs, Greg Reid, Rod Nabors, Odis Campbell, Linwood Boatman, Bruce Miller. Fourth Row: Mitch Ragsdale, Doug Randolph, Gerard Brown, Byron Phillips, Brian Logan, Alexander Neil Cadman.



Me and my helmet



Male mud wrestling?

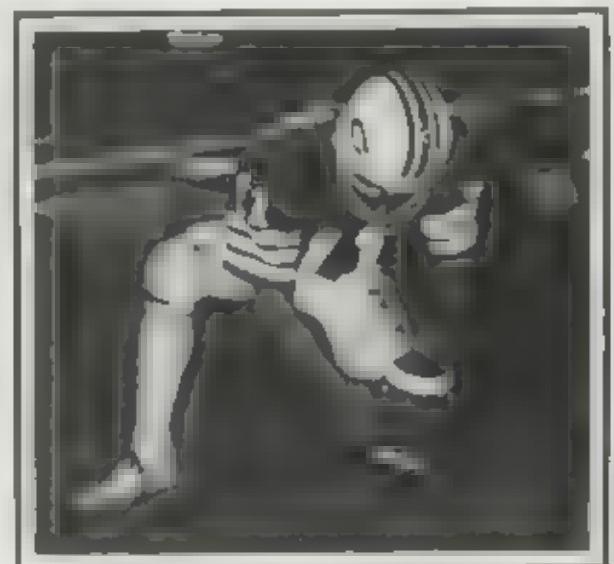
The rebuilding year for Westchester found a young inexperienced team wanting for points on the score board in many games. However, the score was no indicator where courage and determined effort was concerned. Westchester's outstanding players were Byron Phillips, Robert Berry, Bill Via, Gerard Brown, Curt Washington, Mitch Ragsdale, James Henderson, Robert Smotherman, Odis Campbell, Michael Katz, Bruce Miller, Darryl Tanner, Greg Reid, and Pat Hobbs who displayed the quality and talent that would make Westchester proud in spite of much adversity.



Come on Comets, go!



Coach Gambina concentrating on his final game.



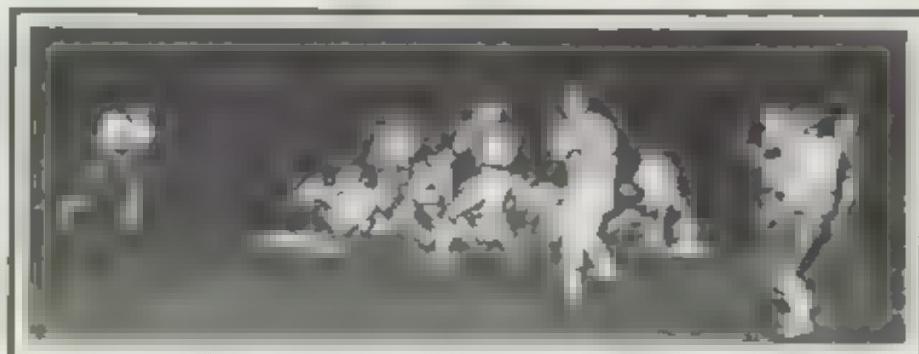
"Why won't this come off?"



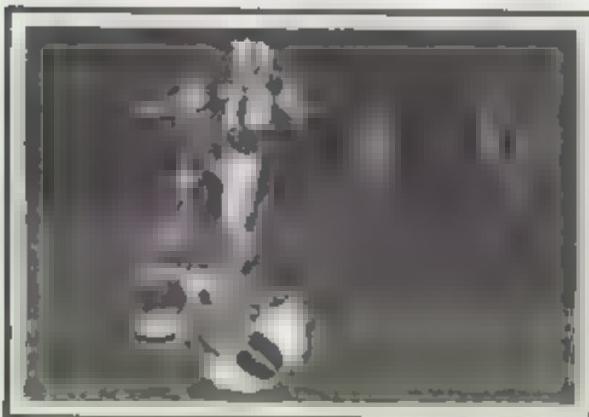
Hi Mom



Come on everybody get down on your knees and pray



Help me I lost my contact lens



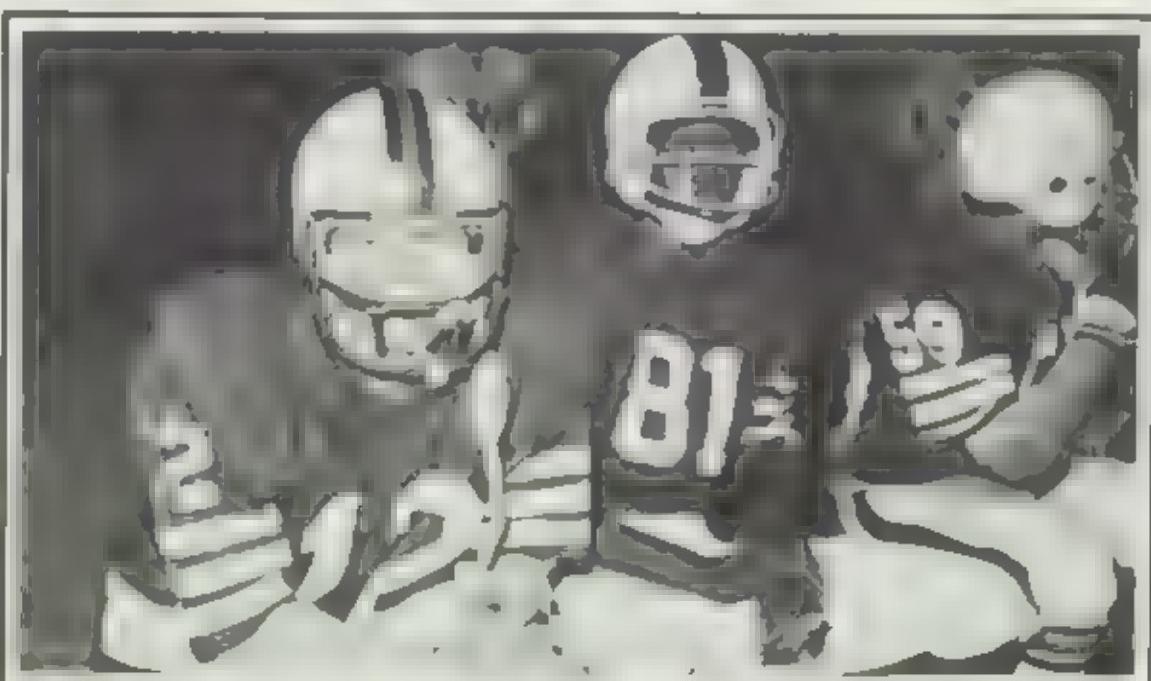
Just to make sure you're down



Do the Hokey Pokey

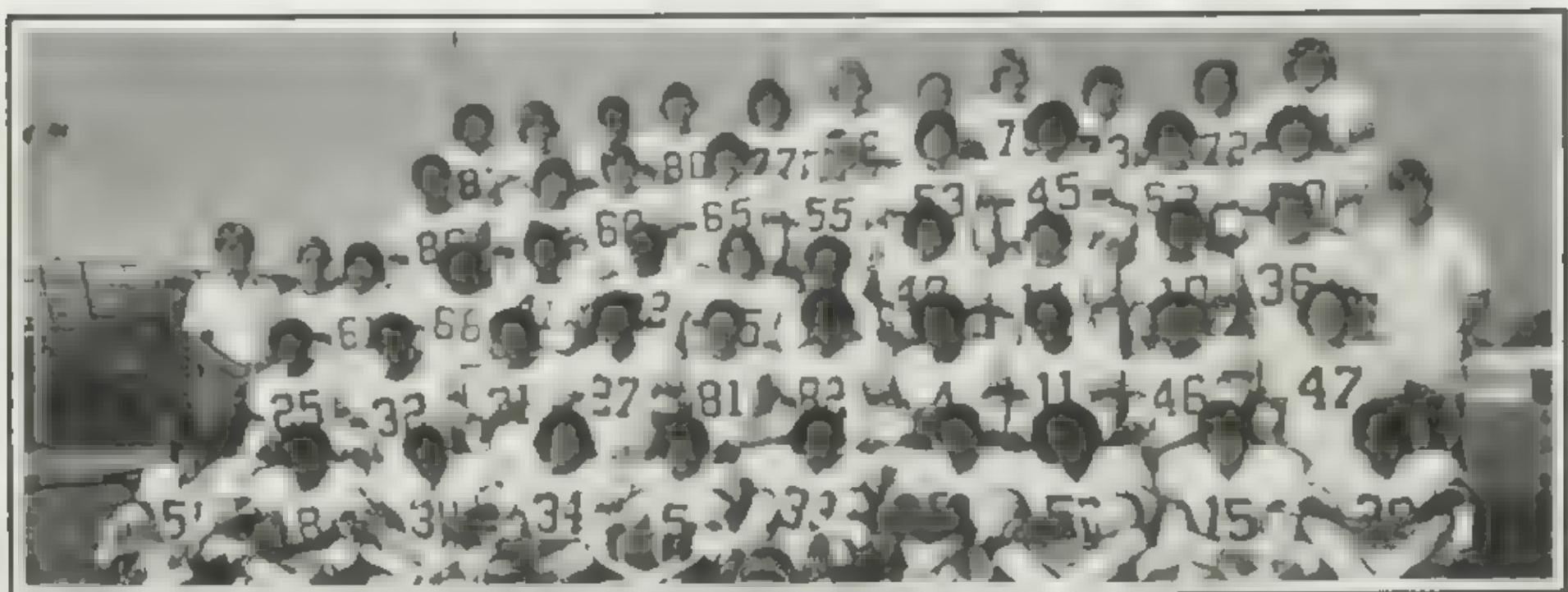


Always showing his best side



Want til I get my hands on them

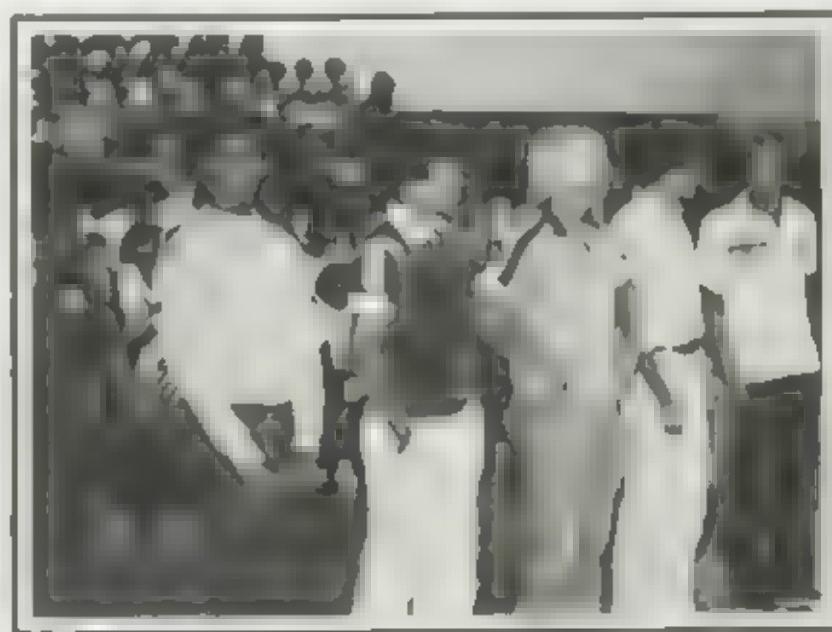
BEE Football



First Row Art Gartman Edwin Bush Robert Rogers Brian Sims Robert Johnson Steve Dye Kerry Watson Donset Mitchell Tommy Moore Carlos Walker
Second Row Douglas Cleveland Kevin Backstrom Dandre Clark Ron Grothis Benji Gillan Eric Brown Anthony Williams Kevin Green Detek Tillary Morris
Cher Third Row Greg Mizushima Sydney Hayes David Johnson Xavier Smith Mike Moscas Eugene Burns Rodney Armstrong Carlos Cote Darren Hughes
Alan Winn Fourth Row Will Dickerson Dean Iwatake Jim Macos Lars Fraser Jim Locke David Abe Perry Jones Stephen Thompson Craig Kaplan Fifth
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Manahan



Coach Hanagan



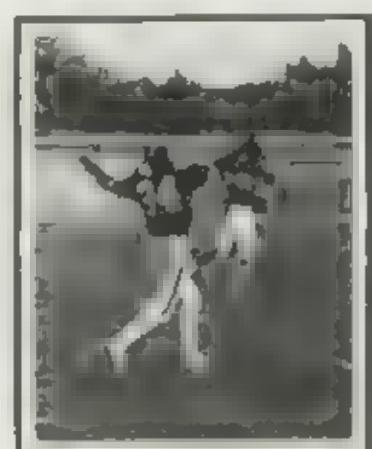
Hey We Bad!



Wow, I could of had a V-8



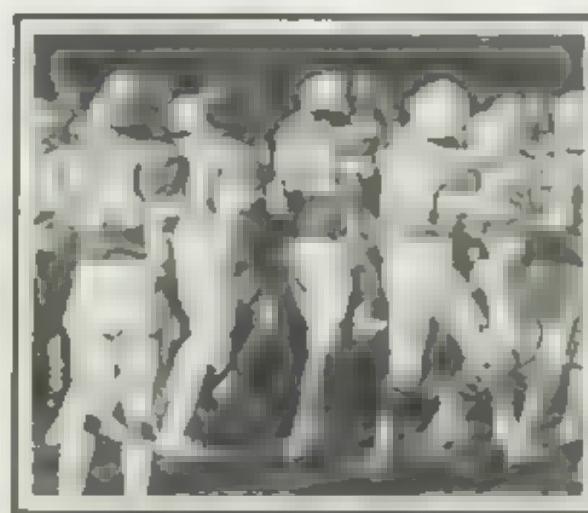
Um! Excuse me.



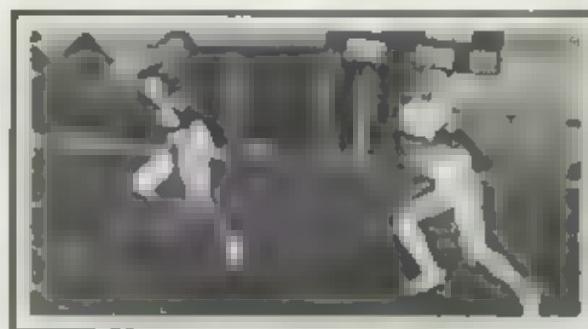
"Come to me, my darling



Palmolive sure does wonders



Hey B's Show us your under ahs



No. You can't have it. It's Mine



We're number one I think?



Your legs just drive me crazy



One and one that makes two two points this game



They don't make dentures like they used to

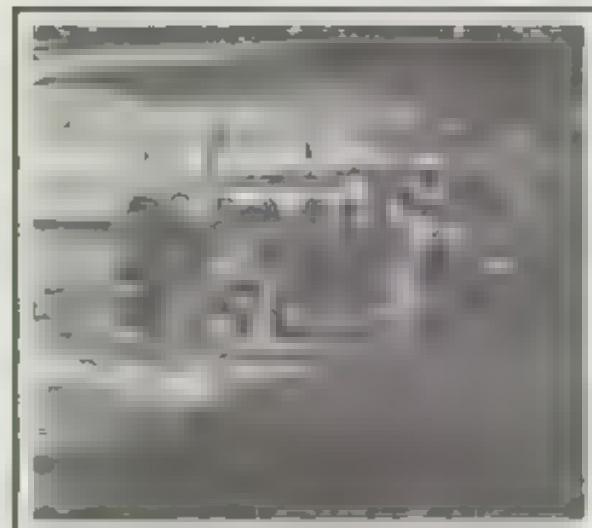
Cross Country



Pushing Hard



Girls Varsity Robin Waddy, Tressia Palmer, Benny Burnstein, Eileen O'Connor



And they're off!



10th Grade: Jim Rydell, Gilbert Oyos, Victor Calderone, Mike Trupillo

Cross Country



JV and Varsity: Mike McKnight, Ken Knudsen, David Withers, Brett Bowman, Brian Jasper, Peter Zigalvis, Ranjil Gupta, Edward Yang, Robert Shih



Making his move



Before the race



All together now

Track



Big Foot



Stretch City



Flying

The Comet women are looking for their fourth consecutive league title but it will be hard to defeat a strong Crenshaw team. The Comet team is strong again with senior Margaret Garszka in the distance events; senior co-captains Lisa Walker, sprints, hurdles, & 440 relay and Janine DeWitty, sprints, long jump, & 440 relay. Hurdlers will be strong with Angela Wade and Lisa Walker. Newcomer half miler Tressia Palmer along with returners Sheila Purnell, Lori Drake, Tina Smith, and Sheri Griffin should be strong assets to the team.

The Comet women will continue their winning ways and will improve the overall 50 wins - 1 loss in dual meet competition.



How Far Did I Throw It?



Front Row: Adrienne Purnell, Sherice Williams, Coach Nordell, Janine DeWitty, Janie Philpot. Second Row: Lisa Jackson, Lisa Walker, DeeDee Williams, Sylvia Sardinas, Tressia Palmer, Lynne Walton. Third Row: Stacey Evans, Karen Purnell, Sheri Griffin, Martha Spock, Eileen O'Connor, Stacy Anthony. Back Row: Tina Smith, Lori Drake, Roxanne Thomas, Penny Williams, Angela Wade, Sheila Purnell

Track



Front Row: Richard Powell, Ken Knudsen, Troy Palmer (capt.), Kevin Booker. Second Row: Anthony Barnes, Rod Lockett, Eric Durley, Edwin Bush, Terry Douglas. Third Row: Coach Steppand, Brian Jasper, Victor Calderone, Dan Clark, Chauncey Isom, Steve Garska, Richard Singerman. Fourth Row: John Brian Bentz, Kirk Washington, Chris McBride, Coach Nordell. Back Row: Kevin Head, Paul Clift, Ranjit Gupte, David Wilthers, Vaugh Dexter.



We better win tomorrow or else!

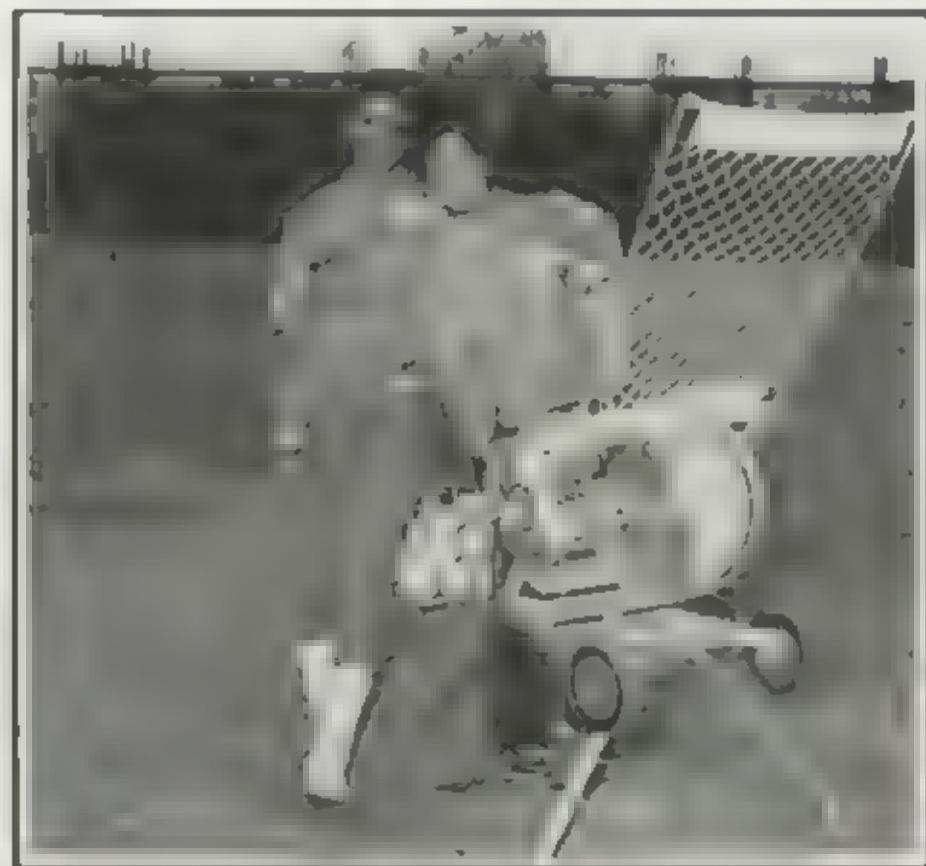


Follow the leader



On your marks, get set, go

Softball



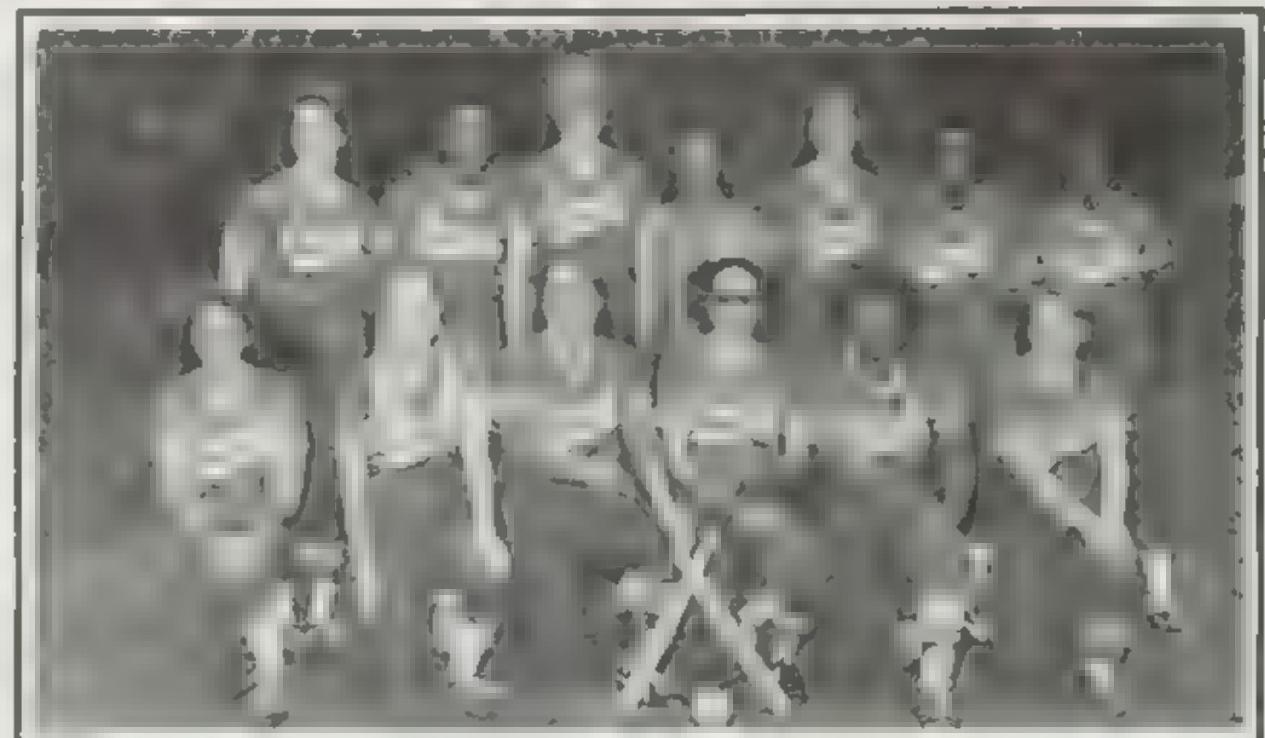
Togetherness



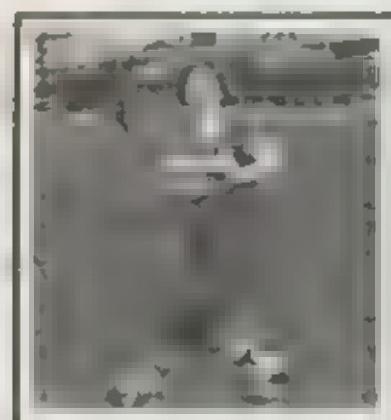
Swinging Hard



Serious . . . Even in Practice



Front Row: Michelle Bischfeldt, Nicole La Pata, Carolyn Mathews, Nashan Baker, Karen Parenteau, Back Row: Laura Murray, Bridgette Victor, Carolyn Fiero, Debbie Souice, Jennifer Eckberg, Toni Hughes, Linda Whitmeyer



I Can't Believe I Actually Caught
It!

the ball was great. (some time
we men (Hubs does'') there



Front Row: Ellen Jamieson, Donita Iacovino, Valerie Woodham, Rhoda Richardson, Rochelle Johnson, Robin Lieberg, Pam Whitmeyer. Second Row: Shannon Bell, Jana Savage, Kelly Johnson, Pat Morell, Paity Barnett. Back Row: Carmen Downs, Angela Schlender, Lisa Laderback, Tammy Peronneau, Alicia Blanco, Lori Ohimoto, Mrs. Carlson



What Action



Gutter Ball



Where's the Ball?



Say Cheese Coaches

Tennis Team



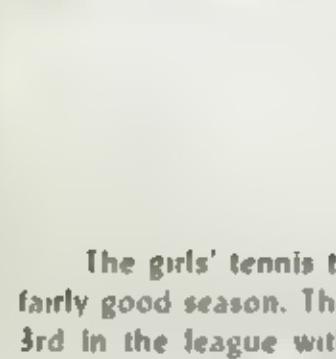
Colleen Krauch



Bridget Harper



Tammy Peraneau



Katie Skinner

The girls' tennis team had a

fairly good season. They came in

3rd in the league with the help

of such outstanding players as

Merry Bantz and Bridget Harper

The boys' tennis team was led by returning seniors Sunho Hong, Neil Holmes and two time All-City player Bob Zoller. This has been an interesting year for Westchester as most of the players have had little experience at the Varsity level



Front Row Gary Lee, Kevin Boyd, Titus Liddell, Howard Poth, Edward Yang, Anthony Seymour. Middle Row Jeff Osaka, Kenn Williams, Mark Robertson, Richard Chow, Carlos Cole, Craig Valency, John Bolduc, Coach Hanagan. Back Row David Abe, Neil Holmes, Sunho Hong, Bill Chandler, Forrest Luke, Calvin Pon, Peter Choi, Ray Bathauer.

Baseball



Front Row: Joe Rogers, Ed Lopez, Mark Voorheis, Edgar Witherspoon, Jim Locke, Mike Manahan, Bob Smotherman. Back Row: Coach Jim Manahan, Dan Greenleaf, Greg Mollner, Pat Frasca, Craig Ekstrom, Brett Hanson, Richard Smith, Jim Anderson, Steve Foley, Roy Scott. Coach Ron Kasprian.



'Oh, I'm so beautiful'



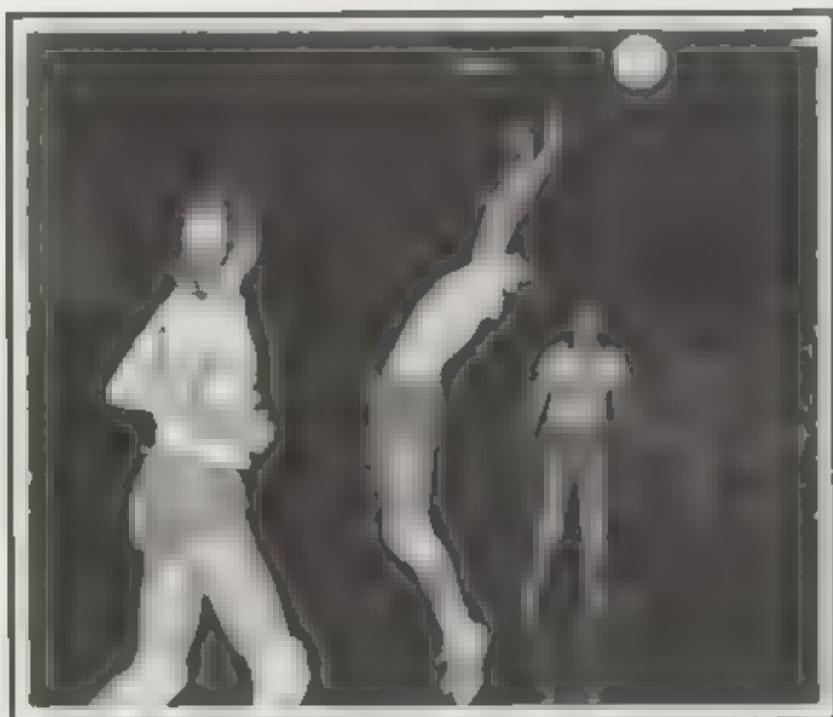
Front Row: Nancy Ferrer, Charlie Ounjian, Sydney Harris, Barret Brown, L.C. Amie, Robert Johnson, Brian O'Neal, Phil Wallace, Staci Casenave. Middle Row: Cheryl McSwain, Raymond Mark, Mark Cadman, Daryn Dean, David Johnson, Tony Bennett, Greg Wiley, Tom Moore, Victor Sims, Mike Boyatzis, Joe Sheehy, Coach Azzam. Back Row: Kevin Backstrom, Jason Dobine, Ken Alexander, Andy Farenholz, Gary Speller, Bryan Logan, Joey Plouffe, Neil Cadman, Courtland Fiero.

After a slow start in the West LA Tournament and the four scrimmages, the Comet Varsity gets ready for the Western League. Led by Dan Greenleaf, Bob Smotherman, Brett Hanson, Jim Anderson, Richard Smith and Doug Horton, the Comet Horsehiders hope to win the Western League and wind up their careers in high school by playing in Dodger Stadium.

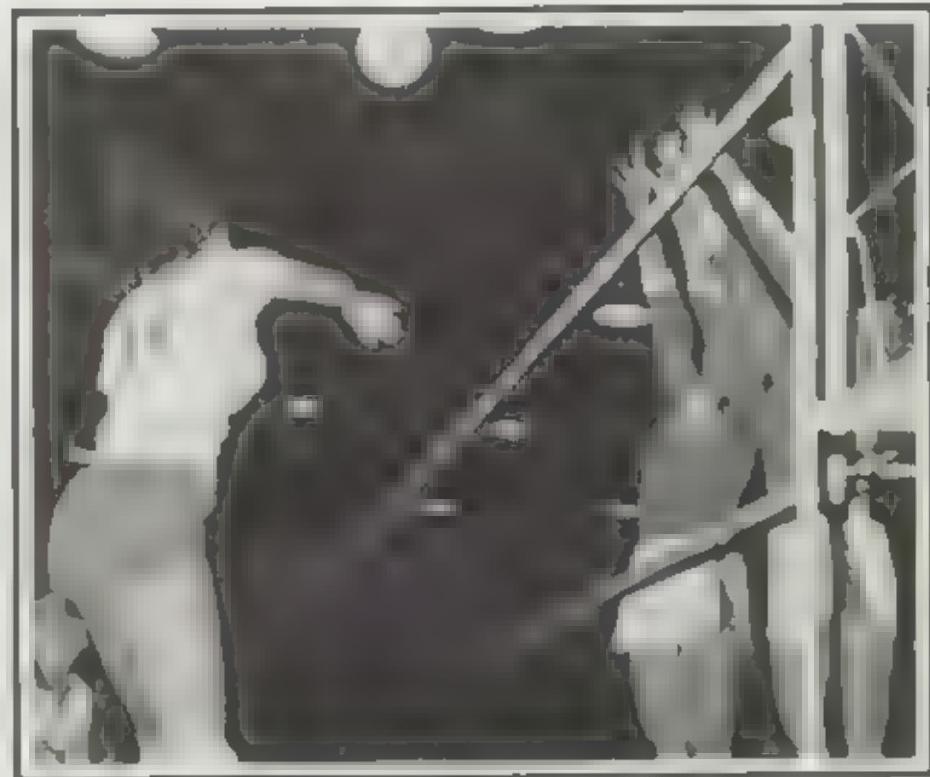
Pitchers Greenleaf, Hanson and Roy Scott hold the big key to the baseball league title. Hitters Anderson, Smotherman, Smith and Horton hope to drive in the key runs during the league season. Juniors Mike Manahan, Ed Lopez, Mark Voorheis, Steve Foley, Pat Frasca, Edgar Witherspoon, Craig Ekstrom, Jim Locke and 10th grader Greg Mollner will all play key roles on the Comet Varsity this season.

With only 2 players returning to this year's JV squad, the team was very young and inexperienced but not without talent. The pitching was stronger, the defense was better, and with some timely hitting the JV team had a winning season.

Varsity Volleyball



A Kim specialty



Power hit



Kim does it her way



Lisa ready and waiting



*Being set up



Another original by Kim



Double shot



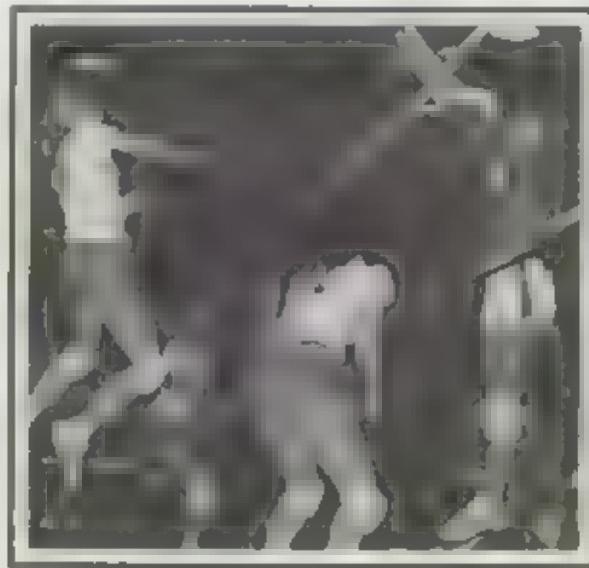
Spike



Front Row: Lisa Tyler, Sue Belina, Mel LeBlanc, Merry Bantz. Back Row: Kathy Nixon, Kim Ruddins, Margaret Gartska, Liz Eakin



Sue gets it over



Sue B when she's high



Mel. does it again!



'Are you sure this isn't a bowling ball?



SUPER SUE!

Varsity Volleyball



I tried but didn't quite make it



Get back down here



Ball Abuse



Power Spike



That's not going to fit in your mouth



Top Row: John Wassells, Tom Haas, Vazken Brulyan, Vance McMullen, Bill Via, Dennis Walker
Bottom Row: Terry Deshler, Tom Hudspeth, Mike Strand, Jeff Briggs. Not Pictured: Mike Kiszewski



Ready for take off!



Jeff attempts bullet



Possible Power Serve



Reach for the sky



Spike it



Hey I can fly



Don't block that ball!

J.V. Volleyball



Front Row: Kathy Schwartz. Second Row: Laurie Leon, Mary Doherty, Brigitte Center, Penny Burnstein. Third Row: Mary Dolly, Rian Rodrigues, Wendy Shoemaker, Karen Marnach. Fourth Row: Dianne Allan, Erica Pilhurst.

The Junior Varsity women had an excellent year and there is hope that the Comets will continue their winning ways. They took third place in the city this year again battling Palisades for a chance at the title.



"Forehand shot"



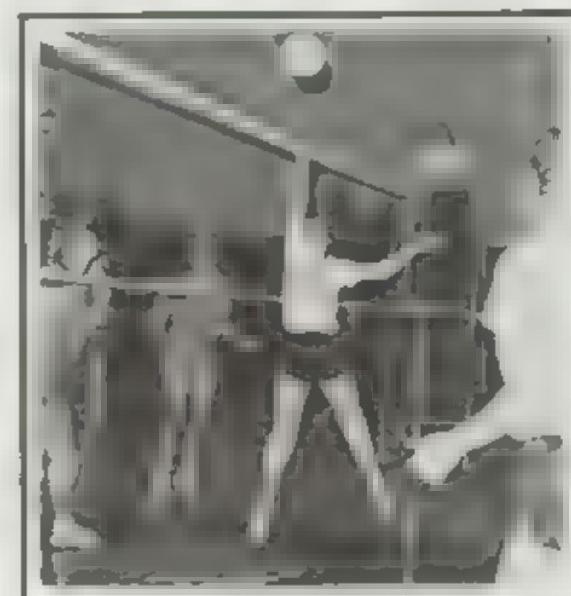
"Mass confusion"



"Jungle Ball!"



"It's mine!"



Knuckle ball

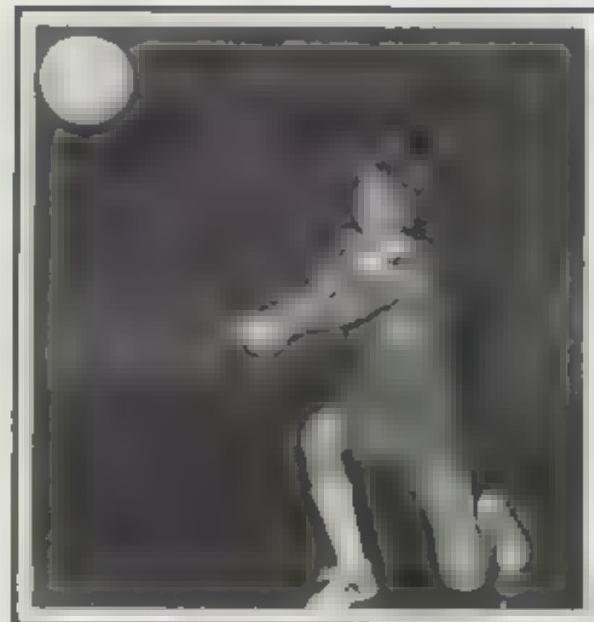


OVER!

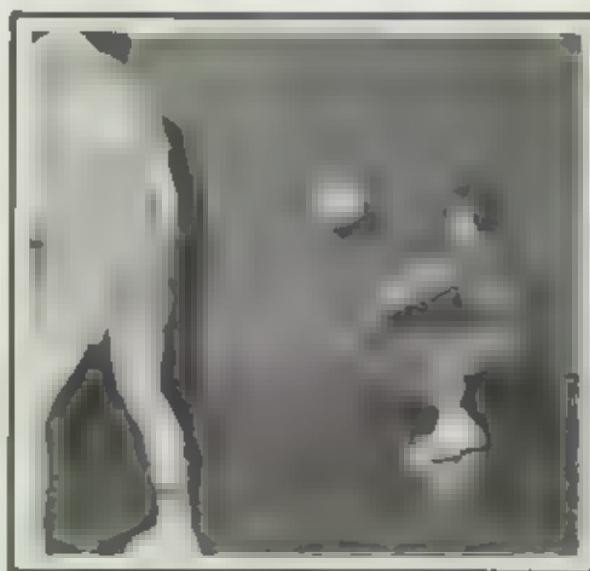
J.V. Volleyball



'Ballet position #5'



Pass it Harry



It's not as easy as it looks



Brian shows how it's done



A great spike

"Junior Varsity had a good one this year. We hope that next year they will continue the good work and will be city champs!"



Top Row Lars Frazer Issa Gharibeh Mika Hirshman Morris Choi Kurt Brent Brush Brian Percell Koji Okazaki Harry Hirshman Bottom Row Gib Cooper Jim Sentlinger Martin Delaney Carl Kissel Justin Lippert Scott Carr

Varsity Basketball



Renee Avelino

The Women's Varsity ended up third in the very strong city west league with an overall season record of 12 wins - 4 losses.

The team was led by All City "All League" and MVP senior center Renee Avelino, who averaged 23 points and 17 rebounds a game. Seniors Nina Alivera all league second team, and Lisa Tyler, coaches award were the two forwards on the starting team. Juniors Lori Inuzuka, all league second team, and Cindy Oune leading the team in assists were the guards. The team was bolstered by returning senior Toni Hughes, junior Angela Wade, and sophomores Jackie Pete and Pamela Whitmyer, Pamela being the team's third high scorer.



Toni Hughes



Angela Wade takes her time for Westchester



Lori Inuzuka



Cindy Oune



I bet it's a hoop



Westchester H.S. on the attack.



Lisa Tyler



Renee Aveline catching a rebound after a sure point for Westchester



Dribbling to the hoop



Angela Wade

WHS	57	San Pedro	28
	80	Canoga Park	26
	69	Jefferson	51
	42	Locke	56
	72	Fairfax	35
	65	Los Angeles	53
	93	Crenshaw	26
	59	Dorsey	65
	74	Venice	65
	70	Palisades	30
	84	University	80
	95	Crenshaw	53
	60	Dorsey	65
	79	Venice	68
	57	Palisades	19
	53	University	57



Pam Witmeyer

Varsity Basketball

The 80-81 Basketball season began on an impressive note with the Varsity winning the consolation bracket of the Lakewood Tournament; and the Junior Varsity doing the same in the Carson Tournament.

From that point on, frustration seems to best indicate what type of year was to come. Entering the league after having lost tough games to Carson, Banning and St. Bernards, the Varsity led by senior guard Dwayne Mason challenged Palisades into the last 30 seconds before losing 55-59. There were to be two more overtime losses and two other games lost by one point each. A very tough year. But with four returning Varsity Lettermen and a dedicated group of Junior Varsity the 81-82 season looks bright!



Jesse Drake Peter Parr Derrick Mills George Thomas Larry Steptoe Glen Burgess Chuck Spruck Chancery Isom Dwayne Mason Branson Nicholson



Dwayne Nelson and Peter Part do a double dribble



"Glen, push it a little more."



Larry Stepone flies in space.

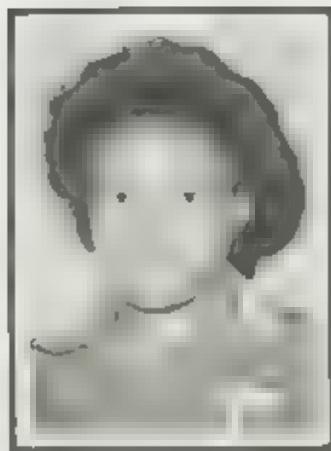


Basketball's ballerina

J.V. Basketball



Patty Barnett



Angie Fields



Karen Kawamura



Joan Koltvet



Jeri Murikawa



Shirley Nishitarumizu



Debbie Souice



Penny Williams

The women's J.V. Basketball Team, with only three returning players, took first in league, went into the playoffs and finished second in the city, losing the championship to El Camino 54 to 60 for a season record of 15 wins and 3 losses. Sophomore center Penny Williams led the team averaging 13 points and 12 rebounds per game along with sophomore Angie Fields, the second high scorer and the teams top rebounder with 271 for the season. Junior Shirley Nishitarumizu, completed the forward line, while junior Karen Kawamura and sophomore Patty Barnett were the starting guards. Jeri Murikawa and newcomers Debbie Souice, Nikki Parker, and Joan Koltvet gave great reserve support.

Practice Scores

Westchester	29	San Pedro	24
Westchester	36	Canoga Park	25
Westchester	41	Jefferson	32
Westchester	42	Locke	47
Westchester	43	Fairfax	15

League Scores

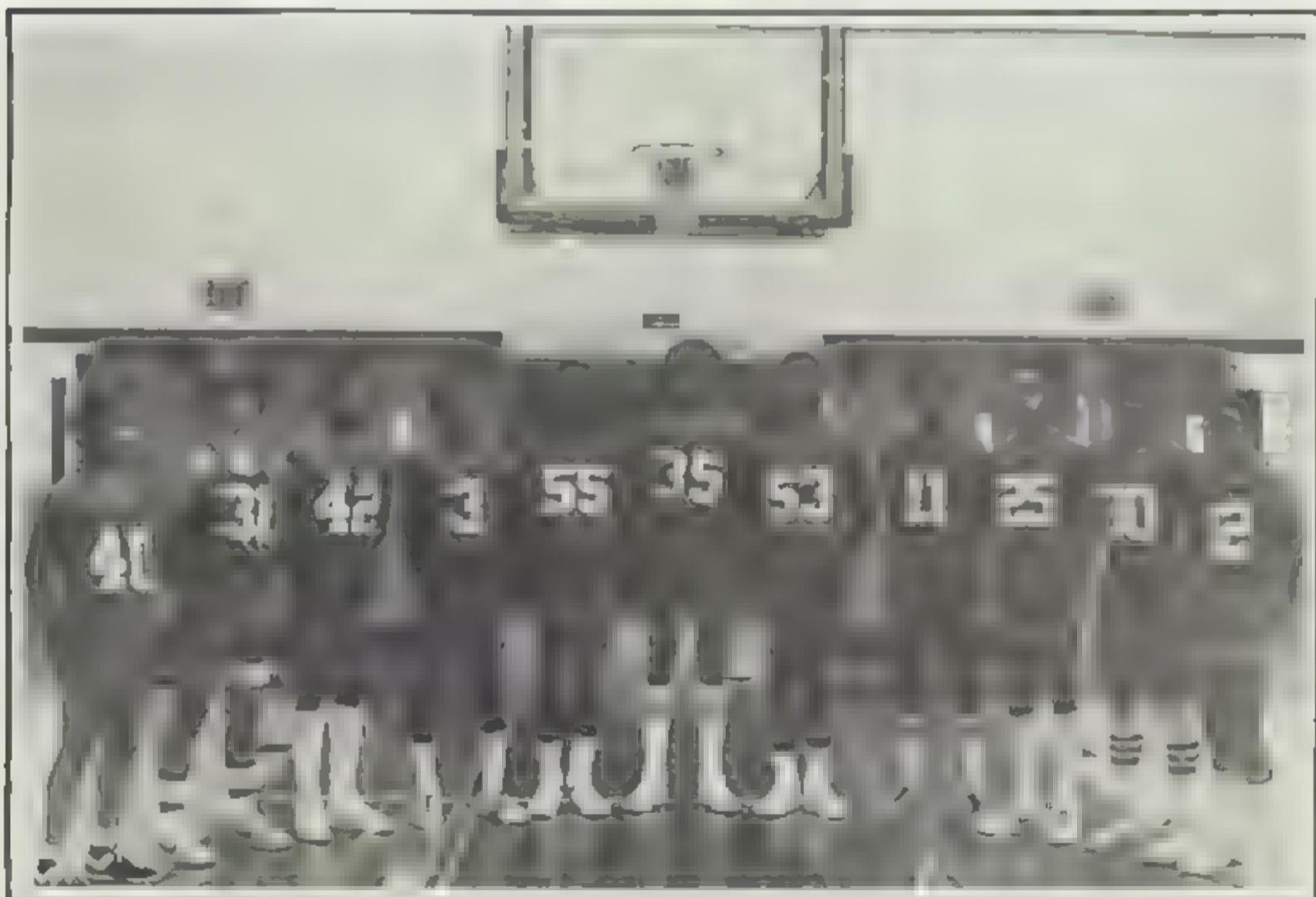
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Westchester	33	Dorsey	43
Westchester	50	Venice	43
Westchester	39	Palisades	17
Westchester	43	University	29
Westchester	49	Crenshaw	41
Westchester	46	Dorsey	42
Westchester	68	Venice	55
Westchester	44	Palisade	33
Westchester	64	University	42
Qtr. Final	62	Chatsworth	51
Semi Final	51	Fremont	49
Championship	54	El Camino	60

The 1980-81 J.V. Basketball started a promising season winning the consolation bracket of the Carson Tournament. During the season we lost a couple of close games, but showed a great deal of team spirit and togetherness.

The leading scorer was Kevin Head. He was also the most valuable player. Steve Ewell was the leading rebounder. The captain of the team was Elgin Grant. With a dedicated group of Junior Varsity, the 81-82 season looks bright.



Ed Azzen, the coach for both the Varsity and J.V. basketball teams, when asked about his teams - he just smiles



Clayton Roberts, Charles Ounjan, Mark Little, Vince Shack, Greg Stamps, Steve Ewell, Dennis Moore, Kevin Head, Jeff Smith, Rolando Roland, Elgin Grant

Letterpersons

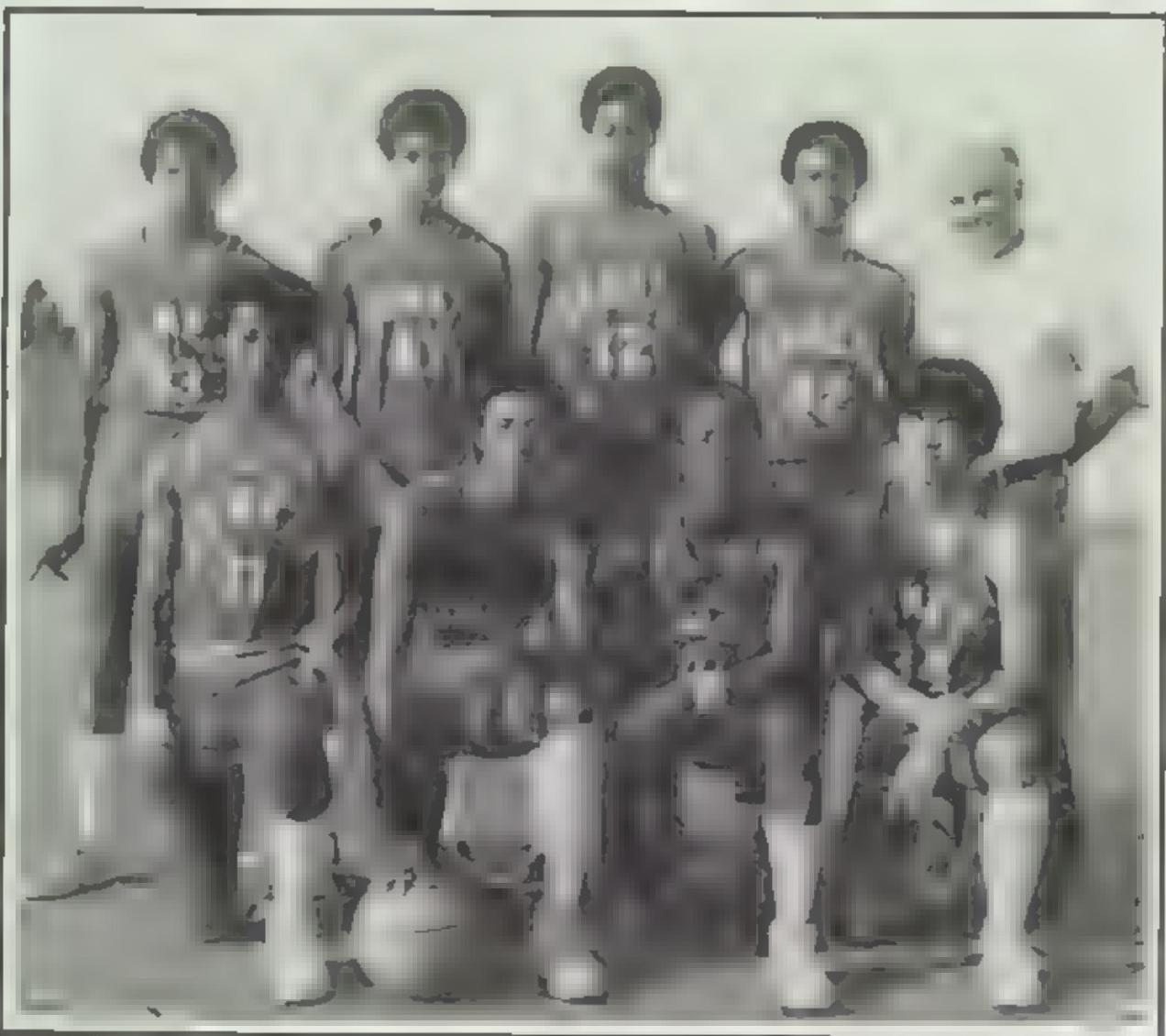


Front Row: Sheila Purnell Cindy Ouna, Amy Gilbreth Middle Row Lori Drake, Karen Kawamura, Jeni Murikawa, Janie Philpott, Lori Inuzuka, Lisa Jackson. Back Row: Shizzy Nishtamizu, Angela Wade, Janine Dewittly, Toni Hughes, Lisa Waltemeyer, Brigitte Victor.



Top Row: Rod Nabors, Danny Greenleaf, Matt Droeck, Mark Silence, Kurt Washington, Dulan Terry
Bottom Row: Coach Azzam, Mitchell Ragsdale, Patrick Hobbs, Bob Smotherman, Mike Manahan

BEE'S and CEE'S



Westchester BEE basketball team ended up 3-7. They lost several close games by 1 or 2 points. The leading scorers of the season were Troy Palmer, Kevin Boyd and Ron Miller.

Front Row: Ron Grubbs, Ron Miller, Kevin Boyd, Todd Takashima. Back Row: Dave Cleveland, Eric Thomas, Ed Neal, Troy Palmer, and Coach Kasparian.



The CEE Basketball team tied for the league title at 8-2. Fiero, Irving and Sadahiro contributed many points. Playmaker and team leader was Robert Johnson.

CEE Basketball. Front Row: Ronald Carter, Barry Sadahiro, Sean Williams, Robert Johnson, Harry Hirschman. Back Row: Byron Lewis, John Hughes, Reggie Irving, Courtland Fiero, Reffie McLendon, Tom Moore and Andre Fredieu.

Surfing



"Rain or shine, they're always in the water"



"Ride the eye or eye the ride" (SK)



"Vinnie shufflin' through afternoon shadows"

Surf class is gone now and we grow mentally and physically fatter with the passing of time. Many happy days are recalled that gave meaning and natural dimension to the classroom at DockWeiler Beach. There, nature was our professor. Heaving swells challenged our physiques and wits with boiling, thrashing white water, sand and seaweed. Friendly migrating gray Whales, curious Seals, scavenging Seagulls, diving Pelicans, Mallards and Grebes (mudhens) from the California skyways, Terns and Sandpipers along with a variety of Crabs became our classmates in God's Ecological Amphitheatre. Gone are the days, but never the wonderful memories



Sedo shooting out of the tube



Adam Ant (Surf Nazi)



Vinnie Carter, afternoon session at El Porto'

Performance Unlimited



Klattie doing the South Side Shuffle



Seda performing his disappearing act



Nick Christensen session at Super Tubes



Danny Seda with another session at Super Tubes"



"A Forceful Off The Lip" done by Kevin Horne



"Good waves . . . good friends

Faculty

Westchester's Faculty has been an exceptionally fantastic group this year. They had to live through boycotts, complaints from angered students over tightened security, budget cutbacks and a switch to five periods a day.

Working 8 to 3 hasn't been all that great this year, but for Westchester High's Faculty, they'll be back next year, stronger than ever.





Counselors

"I remember Westchester when . . .

Chuck Healy.....bean fields were growing on the property before the school was built
Marcia Hines.....the females weren't allowed to wear slacks

Bernie Kortick.....it had a newspaper, speech program, debate club, and a drama program.
...boys' sideburns and girls' skirts were measured by administrators

Bette Kulp.....the cafeteria served food on plastic platters and provided metal knives and forks
girls, kneeling on a chair, had to have their hem touch the seal, or go home to change."
the counselors had time for lunch at Liljeanne Arneson's.

the computer did students scheduling of classes and everyone complained.
the Home Economics classes painted their rooms in E building to jazz things up a bit

Ruth Moroney.....all the teachers were under 35 and all the students thought "being stoned" was a barbanc
punishment



Mr. Healy graduating from Loyola High School



Ruby Johnson is looking good



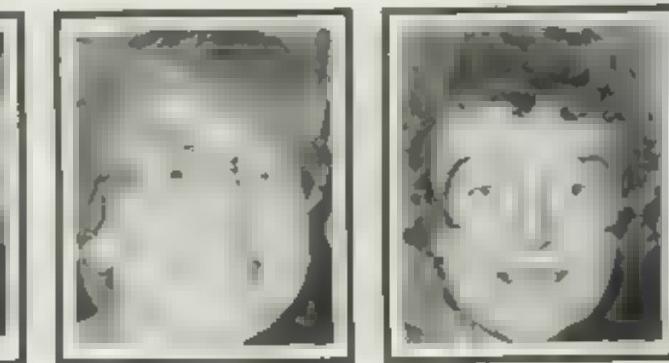
Ruth Moroney at UCLA



Mrs. Hines as a beginning at Dodson JHS.



Bette Kulp thinking about her UCLA acceptance



Chuck Healy



Marcia Hines



Ruby Johnson



Bernie Kortick



Bette Kulp



Ruth Moroney

Administration

"I remember Westchester when . . .

Irvine McConaghys.....students came to me in my office six years ago and said, 'This is your first Christmas at Westchester.' They went and planted a Christmas tree for me. I was so flattered that I didn't yell at them for digging up the lawn. So, when the tree falls over that's when I leave."

Connie Rupert.....Mr. B Hines was J.V. football coach. Mr. Waayers was Bee Basketball coach, and Mr. Gambina was gymnastic coach.

Charlene Blais.....we suspended a girl for wearing skirts too short — 'the mini' . . . we measured skirts with a ruler having the gals kneel on a chair wearing shorts and bathing suits to school and going braless was unheard of."

any young man wearing earrings would have been called strange or a sissy

Phil Sandoval.....as both a foundation for molding my future and as a warm and established friend that never turned me down or looked away when I was in need.



Mr. McConaghys's magnificent body enjoys a 10¢ hamburger on a beautiful clear, clean beach.



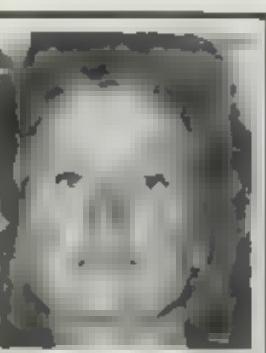
Mr. White is an all American football player



Mrs. Blais in her second year of teaching at Eagle Rock H.S.



Mrs. Rupert when she was teaching special education at WHS



Charlene Blais
Administrative Dean

Connie Rupert
Assistant Principal

Wiley White
Assistant Principal

Phil Sandoval
Press and Publicity

Irvine McConaghys
Principal

Fern Earick, Westchester's Hostess.



Mrs. Earick an eager student

Whenever one thinks of Westchester High School and its beginnings, one cannot help but think of a very special lady who has long been recognized as Westchester High School's official hostess — Fern Earick.

In her inimitable way, she has organized and served at numerous banquets and functions starting when WHS was Orville Wright Junior High and continuing throughout her years here at our present location. No wonder she is thought of as "our hostess with the mostest", for we are sure she has served more coffee than Mrs. Olsen!

Though her teaching career was in home economics her helpful hand has been instrumental in developing and supporting other programs as well. She organized the original "Gals Clubs", of which the Gabrinians and Lydians still remain. Her expertise and knowledge was invaluable in developing our pre-school facility, so important to the Early Child program and our community today.

She assisted the Vice-Principal, Mrs. Carey, in the 60's when measuring skirts was a daily routine. (Remember the days of the "mini" and dress codes?) Since 1973, she has organized the master calendar and in so doing has contributed to a smoother running school. Senior activities? Whether picnics, proms, graduation or jogathons — she was there with a steady hand and willing service. In 1978, she became Career Advisor and coordinator of the Regional Occupational Programs. And just recently in 1980, she added another duty — the Work Experience Program!

Those of us who have had the good fortune to know her personally have experienced first hand her quiet strength. But she has touched us all — whether personal friend or not — for her steady capable hands have given us a better school.



Trying to solve and answer Michael Katz's questions

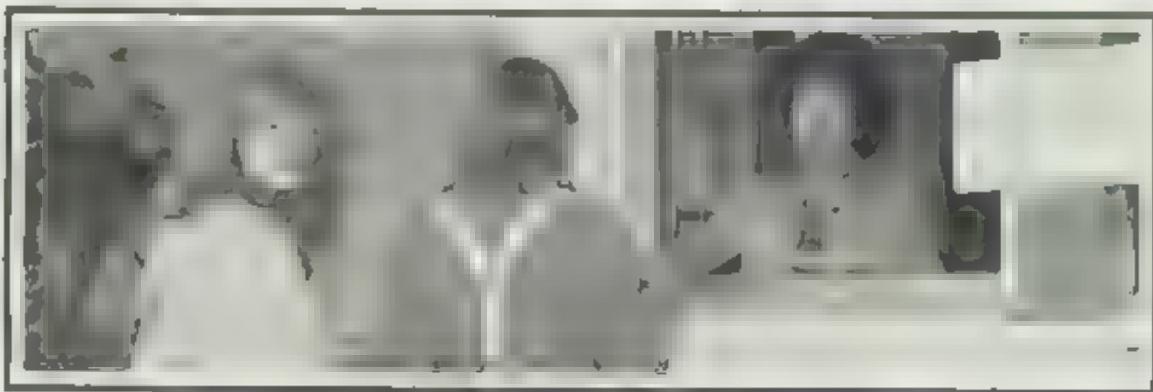


Making plans that effect the entire school. — That's another job Mrs. Earick has mastered





Making plans with the P.T.A. members Norma Tyson, Adelle Wexler, Jeanne Bruening, and Donna Pratt



Mrs. Banck sells graduation tickets to Debbie and Kristie



Mrs. Erick aids a graduating student.



Mrs. Erick in a familiar situation keeping everyone informed about WHS's activities



The hostess with the mostest

Jerry Foote, Westchester's original jogger



Hasn't changed a bit!



Jerry and his adorable family



Mr. Foote, The Joga-Walka-Thon winner, and Dennis Rucker



Front Row Mr E Pollock Mrs B Simson Mr J Foote Mr P Graham Back Row Mr M Schafer Mr D Thompson Mr R Debelat Mr F Johnson
Mr R Werner



Adding a helpful hand

When one remembers the early days of Westchester High School, it's only natural to think of Jerry Foote, who came to this campus when it first opened in 1956. In fact, not many teachers here have had the special perspective he has, for he actually stood at the threshold of his unfinished classroom, peering through the wooden frames when the walls were as yet unplastered! Now that's being here from the ground up!

Though he started his career in mathematics at Mt. Vernon Junior High in 1951, and has continued teaching in the math department here to the present day, he has distinguished himself in whatever the task. He has been elected both faculty and department chairman and even worked as a counselor for while

But those that know him well, know that he also qualifies as a first rate naturalist, for he not only loves nature — tuking and exploring the California wilderness — but he is a knowledgeable botanist that can name the flora and fauna in his path! No wonder that when we needed someone to teach horticulture in 1976, he was chosen.

A special teacher, who realizes that the extra-curricular program is an integral part of any high school, he has volunteered countless times for many of our activities — sponsoring A.F.S. (foreign students' program) and working the track meets to name but a few.

Not only did he help organize both of our jogathon fund raisers, he was himself a competitor in both meets. A strong runner and frequent participant in city wide races and various 10 kilometer runs, he lost only by a nose to another tough contender, Joe Douglas in Jogathon 1979, only to take First Place in Jogathon 1980! (Joe Douglas wisely didn't run that year!)

As you can see Jerry Foote is a man of many talents and abilities. A talented musician . . . he has performed on oboe with the Peninsula Symphony Orchestra for ten years! An excellent amateur photographer . . . his photographs are so professional in tone and theme, he could challenge some so-called professionals. Whether performing in a symphony orchestra or running in a 10 kilometer run, Jerry Foote comes in a winner for all of us here at Westchester High School!



He just doesn't stop!

Grâce à vous, Madame Schwartz



Isn't she the cutest darling?

I remember WHS in 1955 when I took three buses to get here (I was broke and I didn't drive). WHS was way out in the sticks then, very isolated. The last touches of paint were being applied. I remember the excitement, challenge, and apprehension of that first teaching assignment. I remember WHS when learning was king. There were 3 to 4 full time French teachers at one time, including dear Al Desrochers. There were many language workshops which could barely keep up with the demand. I also remember when I was slightly older than my students. A few times when I went to the office an adult authority figure would scold me. "You're supposed to have a pass given to you by your teacher!"

I remember fondly, but with sadness, my students that are no more: Eric, Dennis, Christie and others. Some of these deaths were freak accidents: car accidents, suicide or murder. I remember Jean Marcel, one of my first French Canadian students; his mind wasn't always on French. Through the years he has sent me cards from Japan and Hong Kong. Today he is a major in the U.S. Air Force and a major advisor and diplomat in the U.S. and world. We had dinner last year. He was a handsome 41 years old. He told me that after he had made the date with me, the Greek defense minister wanted to see him at that time. He replied that he wouldn't cancel his date with his favorite French teacher under any condition and would see him the following day. My ego burst with pride. He had come back from Vietnam suffering from stomach pains. His eyes told me of untold horror and suffering. When I asked him if he was happy, he said, "Kind of."

I remember WHS when John Elg, Sue Cohen, and her brother David were my students. Suzanne was always très consciencieuse et très appliquée. David was easy going, always laughing and joking, but hardworking too. I remember Roccie and her beautiful creative writing in French. I accused her of copying someone else's work. She burst out, "But Madame, you don't understand. I love to write!" I received a letter from Roccie last year. She had published books and won awards at college for "most promising young female writer." She wrote me from France. "I remember when I sat through your class and dreamt of France and Paris. Today that dream has come true. I am spending a year in Paris. I love it and I hate it too, at times." I understood. I remember running into Laura at Robalre's restaurant many years later as I wondered with amazement. "You speak such beautiful French, Laura!" She replied. "Grâce à vous Madame." Thanks to you Madame.

We all feel the same. "A great big thank you to Maya Schwartz"



The ever fascinating Maya



Madame's first trip to Paris



Always the happy face



Maya taking a break during her first year teaching



Bonjour. Je m'appelle Maya Schwartz



An enchanting sixteen year old



Madame Schwartz radiates charm

Faculty

"I remember Westchester when . . .

Joan Barber..... my students gave me a surprise party two times and I was absent both times."

Audrey Birch..... students were so polite they always opened doors for you and carried your books. I remember when students in the classrooms were so quiet you could hear a pin drop at all times.

Students were never tardy, and no one ever walked into your room without permission."

Lucinda Bliven.....skirts were so short that we female teachers could only really use the bottom 3" of the blackboard. When students didn't turn in any more homework than now, but they felt guilty about it. I remember when on my first day as a sub, I was so young I was asked to leave the faculty cafeteria and eat with the students.



Audrey Birch when she was a stewardess for Western Airlines



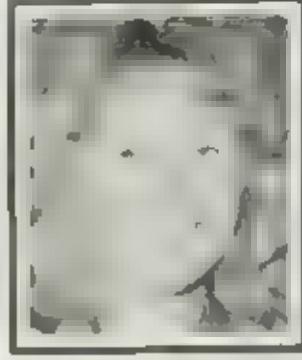
Harry Barnhill is one of Westchester's beginning teachers.



Floyd Bell our tennis star?



Joan Barber enjoying a USC sorority party



Ed Azzam
Physical Education

Joan Barber
Business

Harry Barnhill
English

Floyd Bell
Industrial Arts

Audrey Birch
Home Economics -
Yearbook

Lucinda Bliven
Science



Yvonne (Bafaskas) Boyasis graduating from Tarpon Springs High School in Florida

"I remember Westchester when . . .

Cheryl Bockhold.....I first opened our WHS Preschool. The Students made almost everything from wood, cardboard, and felt. They made the preschool equipment, toys and games. Garages and attics were searched for long forgotten playthings. Carpet squares were taped together for a rug and the faculty coffee table in K building was rolled out for art activities.

Since that time the program has expanded from twelve preschoolers to fifty and from twenty WHS students to forty, who teach in the fully equipped preschool bungalow in the Careers with Children class.

Yvonne Boyasis.....mini skirts could be no shorter than 4" above the knee. When the dress code was changed to let girls wear slacks to school and kids wore jeans with "patches" instead of designer signatures.

Alan Brotman.....the most intelligent question students asked was not, "Can I go to the bathroom?"

Marge Carlson.....the absence list was only 50 students long and truancy was the unusual.



Mrs. Bockhold enjoying the tenderness of her little tiny pre-schooler



Cheryl Bockhold
Home Economics



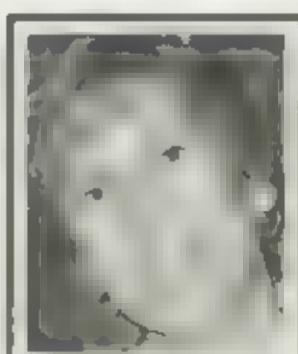
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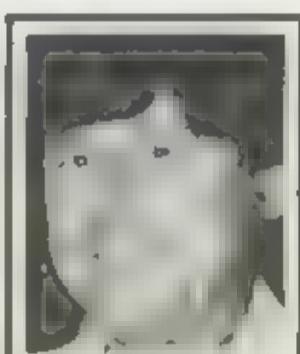
George Breindel
Foreign Language -
English



Alan Brotman
Social Studies



Marge Carlson
Health



Virgil Christian
Industrial Arts

Faculty

"I remember Westchester when

Susan Cohen.....the fifties was a reality instead of a nostalgic fad, and I wasn't forever ensnared in the tenth grade "

everyone had six classes and seniors were free first and sixth period
we had assemblies each week, third period, and seniors had the whole center section

drill team was twice as big and went to the Hollywood Bowl

a six inch ruler was "the Rule" between dancing couples

kissing couples had to appear before student council

we had Sadie Hawkins dances

all seniors guarded the Senior Lawn

Service clubs supervised the halls."

Lydians had the most status

there were two boys clubs, Key Club and Squires

seniors wore class color sweaters or cardigans every Friday

dances were in the social hall every Friday after the football games

the Latin teacher married the head custodian

A1 and A2 were study halls with eighty to one hundred chairs, no talking was allowed

PE showers were checked every day

Leni Cook.....the windows opened, the lawns were green, and the flowers bloomed

it was a mass of unpoured concrete and unstuck stucco

the ground was marked off for the buildings and nothing else but trees and heavy machinery

could be seen

Minnie Crews.....we could open all of the windows in my classroom

Thurston Davis.....the girls had long hair and the boys had short hair

the boys seldom used profanity and the girls never did

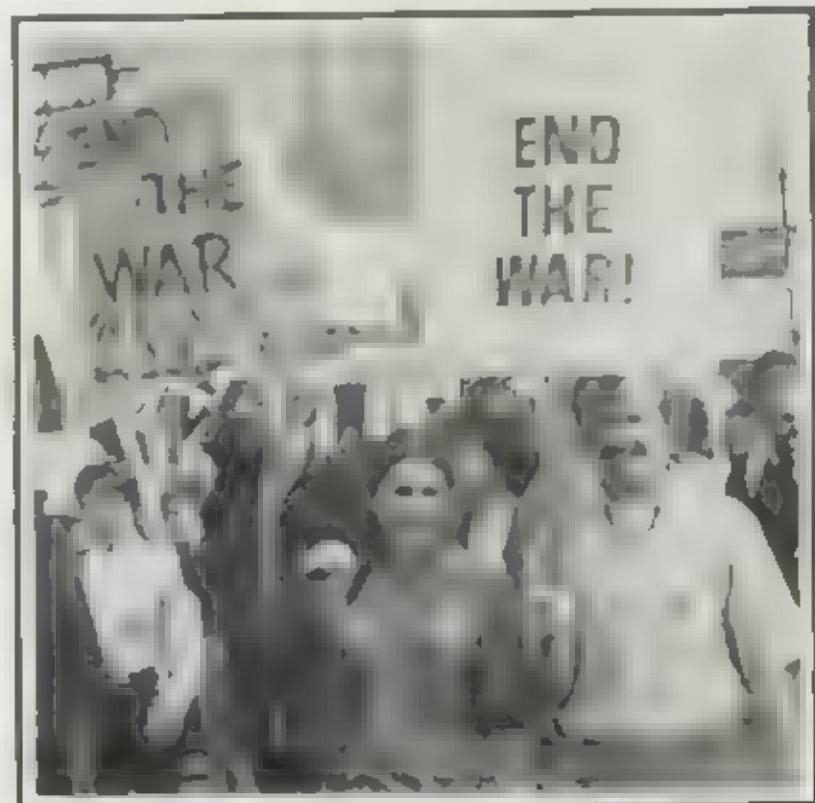
all students did their homework

the students laughed at my jokes of course they weren't so old then

the men teachers wore ties and the women teachers wore dresses



Minnie Crews - a beautiful lady



Susan Cohen marches for peace



Faculty

"I remember Westchester when . . .

Florence Elliott.....I taught English to the tune of the folk dance drum in the P.E. building."

Jerry Foote.....when Sue Cohen was a student at Westchester, not a teacher'

we had 90,000 dollars for landscaping and 30,000 dollars for an intercom system."

-we had no bungalows until the enrollment increased.

all students wore shoes

the average student worked harder

we had courses like Shakespeare, power reading, English Literature, more shops."

-we had assemblies with topics such as the Philharmonic and movies at noon

we had 1750 students, then 3,000, and lots of teachers from Dorsey

we had no security officers, I.D. checks or noon aids."

Ralph Gambina.....surf class was being viewed on channel four television."

Helen Grumer.....enrollment was large, school spirit was strong, and assemblies were frequent."



Helen Grumer graduate from College in Trenton, New Jersey



F. D. Foote on Korea after W W II occupation



Florence Elliott, college graduation in Brooklyn



Ralph Gambina surfing the swells at Dock Weiler Beach



Ms. Florence Elliott
English

Jerry Foote
Mathematics

Ralph Gambina
Physical Education

John Barnes
Social Studies

Evelyn Gibbs
English

Helen Grumer
Business

Faculty

"I remember Westchester when . . .

Robert Hammond. . . . there was an opossum that crawled up the outside of Pete Skrumb's room and there it "kicked the bucket!" Nobody knew he, she, or it, was there until a few languid, rather unseemly smells began to permeate the air. No one could figure where these odors were coming from — it had been determined that Pete and class had taken baths — yet, there they were, and what's more, they were getting worse! The locus was finally determined by the many noses of Westchester to be in the place hereinbefore mentioned — right outside Pete's room, C-1, under the window. Pete had to evacuate. Then began the long, tedious process of removing the offender. It took a week. First it had to be determined by the Maintenance Department there was, in fact, a smelly problem. Second, after a delay, the sheet metal people had to come out to remove the cover to the heating pipes — of course, they wouldn't touch the Offender. Third kind of hazy, but it seems that some disposal unit of the school complex came out and finally took the now badly decomposed body of the opossum away. Things became quieter. The air had been cleared. Shortly, Pete and class were back in the room. However, it wasn't until at least a week later the process of disassembly was reversed, and reversed, and once again Westchester High settled down to its peaceful pursuit of honoring scholars of that time to a fine edge to fit into the positions of status, trust, and confidence we see them in today.

Sean Hanagan. . . . my mother brought me up here in 1943 or 44 to see a military parade featuring General George Patton and General Jimmy Doolittle. Westchester was mostly fields then with a few houses or businesses. We stood alongside Sepulveda Blvd. in a field to watch.

Edith Harris . . . there were so many students that all rooms in the school were used six periods each day."

Barbara Herlocker . . . no women or girls could wear slacks to school. We actually all used to dress up in nylons, high heels, and dresses. What a switch from the casual attire, including jeans, we now all wear and love!"

Bill Hines . . . Santa Claus visited Westchester and gave candy to the students and they threw it back at him."



Edith Harris applying for a teaching position



Ms. Herlocker at 16, modeling for \$25 a day



Sean Hanagan graduating from Santa Monica City College



Bob Hammond at the pilot controls of "Spruce Goose."



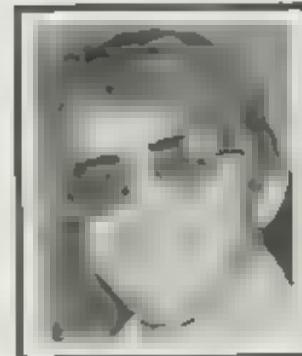
Bill Hines, a Marine in Japan



Milly Haft
English



Bob Hammond
Social Studies



Sean Hanagan
Health, Physical Education



Edith Harris
Art



Barbara Herlocker
Science



Bill Hines
Social Studies

Faculty

"I remember Westchester when . . .

Joseph Hughey.....I gave my first assignment as a substitute in 1966.
Fred Johnson.....there were half as many administrators as there are now

—I didn't have any grey hair
 the buildings weren't leaking and the paint wasn't peeling." grass was something you cut with a lawnmower and a "fix" was a repair job."
 there were twice as many teachers in the Math Dept."
 we had close to 3,000 students in school."
 we had no need for security or aides."
 we had winning Westchester football teams."
 there was no air conditioning and rooms were cool."
 most people were passing their classes

Ron Kasparian.....it was Orville Wright Jr. High."
 I played a practice baseball game in 1953 for Hamilton High and we lost 4-3."

Melva King.....we had 2,800 students here
 school spirit was contagious and very spirited (we had a peppy mascot, the Comet Bee)
 these weren't great memories."



Gloria King in 'A Bare Touch of Vegas'



Melva King at the University of Hawaii



Brian Kataoka,
student at Dorsey
High



Mr. Johnson, chorus line from the Rockettes



Ron Kasparian graduating from Hamilton High in 1955



Joseph Hughey, graduating
from Fremont High



Joseph Hughey
Business



Fred Johnson
Mathematics



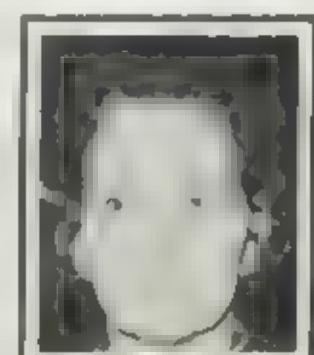
Ron Kasparian
Physical Education



Brian Kataoka
Mathematics



Gloria King
Resource Program



Melva King
Business

Faculty

"I remember Westchester when . . .

Carroll Klatte.....P.E. roll call for a class of 55 took 30 seconds everyone was dressed in red shorts and white blouses, white shoes and socks, all in roll call order sitting cross-legged very quietly and not one student missed their roll call number."

George Knight.....there were some 2,800 pupils and nearly ninety percent of them went on to college of some sort twenty four years ago my wife and I attended a class at this high school for the care of newly born babies. I was better prepared to help with the care of our son not long after we lived a mile to the east of Mines Field, under what is now the south approach pattern. in the 1920's. I recall a Sunday morning when church services in Lennox were excused to watch the U.S.S. Shenandoah (ZR 1), the first rigid dirigible filled with helium, fly over

A silver spindle rode the sky
It left a mark on every mind
That wondered why
It prophesied a time (not nigh).
When almost anyone could fly.

In 1925, this beautiful craft crashed during a squall over Ohio. I remember being allowed to stay up until midnight to watch the Graf Zeppelin sail in out of the dark and land at the Field. This was in the Summer of 1929

I recall airmeets of the '30s. World War One biplanes landed in between haystacks, wingtips skimming straw. Mr Bennett, who farmed Mines Field, had a new tractor. People came to see it work almost as much as to see the air show. (Horses and mules did nearly all of the farm and road work.) There were balloons. Charles Lindbergh made a parachute jump. Exhibits were in circus tents as there were no buildings at the airport.

In the 1930's, I witnessed the flights of the Akron and the Akron over the field. These dirigibles were nearly 800 feet long. Each one had eight engines and carried five fighter planes inside.

Manchester Blvd. was constructed in the 1930's, but Westchester remained open land and in grain and bean fields until World War II. At that time the land filled with bunkers, barrage balloons and anti-aircraft guns. P-38's and Mustangs power dived over this area. Sometimes the howling roar ended with an explosion that shook the ground from Venice to Hawthorne.

the Northrop Flying Wing performing a sequence of rolls in a steep climb. There were many experimental craft with strange designs that I saw in flight here.

there were the black-outs and the probing searchlights. I recall the anti-aircraft as Japanese planes were reported overhead.

In the early Spring a sea of frogs and toads sent up an amphibian chorus from the sand dunes to Inglewood. In the evening this sound was punctuated by a few dogs barking here and there in the distance, and in the dawn roosters echoed to one another from acre to acre. Rolling over all came the whistle of the steam train, and the long enduring metronomic tolling of the locomotive's bell. There were the sounds of birds and crickets but the backdrop was silence.

Salatiel Matos.....all students were neat and polite. It was a pleasure.

Dave McNeely.....streaking was the major form of student recreation."

Bob Monahan.....we were ONE of the best schools in L.A. City. We had dress codes and if you were not dressed properly you were sent home.

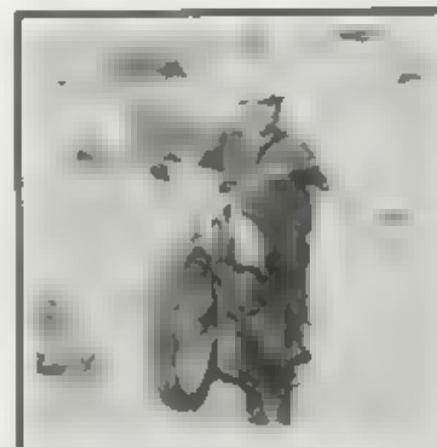
P.E. coaches paddling!
we had more spirit — sportsnight dances in the gym almost every Friday night'
we were League Champions in football."



Mr. Matos in Havana, Cuba



Mary Ellen Maddox graduating from UCLA



Dave McNeely enjoying the great outdoors



Bob Monahan a handsome scholar from Penn State



George Knight takes a pony ride in Maywood, Calif.



Carroll Klatte cheers for Northwestern University



Carroll Klatte
Physical Education,
Health, Mathematics



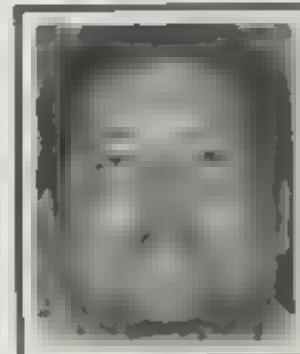
George Knight
Science



Mary Ellen Maddox
English Social Studies



Salatiel Matos
Foreign Language



Dave McNeely
Industrial Arts
Mathematics



Bob Monahan
Science

Faculty

"I remember Westchester when . . .

Kathy Moss the faculty parking lot was actually filled with faculty cars." Jean Newby.....we had 2,800 students, 120 faculty members. Friday night dances after the football games no north runway ivy lined campus and playing fields, no holes, no weeds growing in the blacktop, no smoking in the parking lot and above all, no security officers."

Pat Nordell the majority of the students came to class on time and were never truant."

Ula Pendleton.....girls could not wear slacks or jeans to school or even to football games; dress hemis could not be higher than the middle of the knees or else the wearer was sent home by the Vice Principal who was in charge of measuring hemis
boys were not allowed to grow beards or mustaches, sideburns were not to extend below ear lobes. Any boy with hair long enough to touch the top of the shirt collar was sent home to get a haircut (or the V.P. In charge of hair would cut it upon request)
female teachers wore only dresses, skirts, but no pants suits and men teachers sometimes even wore ties, but none had mustaches or beards."



Ula Pendleton graduates with a BA in History, gets support from her good-looking sons



Kathy Moss graduates from Long Beach Poly High School



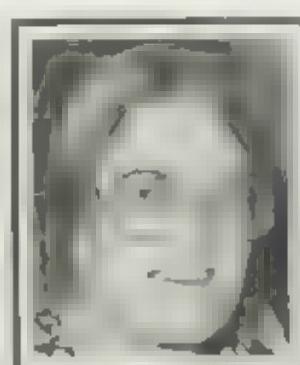
Sherman Moreno enjoys Germany while in the U.S. Army



Jean Newby radiates happiness and charm.



Sherman Moreno
Health Industrial Arts



Kathy Moss
Resource Program



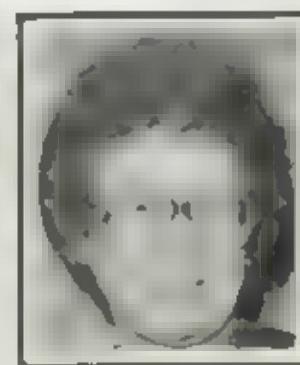
Elaine Goodyear
Substitute



Jean Newby
Physical Education



Pat Nordell
Physical Education



Ula Pendleton
Social Studies 173

Faculty

"I remember Westchester when .

Marvin Schulman.....in 1961 when I arrived, the great concern was over the "Dress Code." The administration at that time acted like the main evil of the time was long hair on male students and short skirts on female students.

Pete Skrumbis.....Comet Cards cost \$5.08 girls wore dresses everyday and guys with hair over their ears were suspended the football team dominated the Western League the Social Studies Department had department final exams of 200 points that students had to pass in order to pass the class male teachers wore suits and ties and the women teachers would never be seen in pants when students said, "Yes, sir" and "No, ma am," having a discussion in class about abortion or birth control could get a teacher in trouble students burned their Comet Cards because they didn't like the administration's policies we had a weekly school newspaper and two underground newspapers, all of which were fairly well written but most of all, I remember Westchester when the most important thing about school was "learning"



Madame Schwartz enjoying the sun and beach after graduating from high school



Pete Skrumbis while in 7th grade at Horace Mann Junior High



Graduation for Theresa Riddle



Marvin Schulman graduating from Hamilton High School



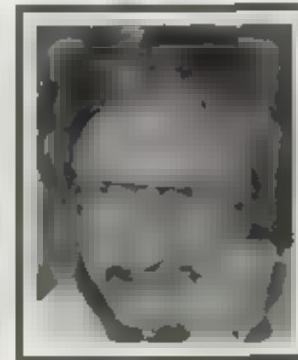
Teresa Riddle
English



Marvin Schulman
Social Studies



Maya Schwartz
Foreign Language



Ken Sculteure
Science



Jan Simison
Science Physical Education



Pete Skrumbis
Social Studies

Faculty

"I remember Westchester when . . .

Mary Jane Slike.....we had 10 art teachers. Mr Uškovich wore a tie everyday, and Mrs Zee wore skirts above her knees"
Ken Scultheuse.....the greatest concern was over whether or not to have a dress code."
Mario Tan.....when the jet decibel level was much lower than the student noise level."



Mario Tan, a hard working college student.



Shelly Trinidad a cute 1950 urban cowgirl.



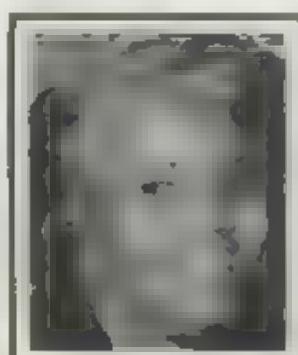
Ken Scultheuse in his second year
of college in UCLA



Mary Jane Slike, a beautiful school girl



Mary Jane Slike
Art



Evangeline Smith
English



Rosemarie Smith
Foreign Language



Sal Spinoza
Industrial Arts



Mario Tan
Science



Shelly Trinidad
Special Education

Faculty

"I remember Westchester when . . .

Sam Uskovich.....the girls skirts were above the knee and guys hair fell below the shoulders."

Richard Werner.....it was "Paradise" girls attire was equal to those of church wear" girls used 2 cans of hair spray per week." there was no trash on the ground, no graffiti, and no weeds

...everyone used walkway, no cutting across lawns."

anything that was broken was fixed immediately such as the sprinklers or desks.'

89% of the students entered college after graduating from WHS.'

attendance was very high and absenteeism minimal. The absence list was 1/5 of the paper school leadership was strong and there was excellent school spirit."

2 women and 11 men were in the math department."

this community was upper middle class."

Robert Wood.....upon arriving back in L.A., after three years of teaching in Germany, I was assigned to WHS. In September 1958

it was called "The Country Club" being the most expensive (5 million dollar) school LAUSD ever built, with spacious grounds, covered walkings, luscious landscapes, and the last LA school to have a full size auditorium.'

its student body was 2850, all gates were closed, all hallways and toilets were open, drinking fountains worked, trash slots weren't nailed shut, and all classrooms were used including portable bungalows, the auditorium, and the 120 seats in the administration building'

all students were in classes all day including study halls; no one was "floating on an I.S. period." boys were sent home if their hair went over their ears or touched their collar; girls were sent home if their skirts were at knee level or above (no pants or shorts); men teachers wore ties and jackets; women teachers wore dresses every Thursday offered a double assembly during period three; every national, patriotic, and religious holiday was celebrated by an appropriate assembly program.'

Vice principals (two) were the bad guys; there were no "Deans"

there were mid term (end of January) graduation ceremonies on the stage in the auditorium, the June graduation class was well over 800 students

It was DIFFERENT then

Jocelyn Zee.....there were 10 art teachers: 6 full time teachers, and 4 others with 2 and 3 classes each



Mr. Waayers when he first started working at WHS.



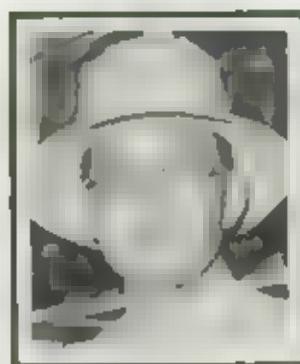
Mr. Werner a handsome graduate from the University of Berkely



Mr. Wood age 19 in Kaneohe, Hawaii, USN Air Station



Sam Uskovich and his wife dressed as little children for a college party



Kunio Tsuneyoshi
Science, Horticulture



Sam Uskovich
Art



Dirk Waayers
Driver's Education



Richard Werner
Mathematics



Bob Wood
Music



Jocelyn Zee
Art

Special Service

"I remember Westchester when . . .

Mrs. Earick.....the grass was green, flowers bloomed on campus all the time and we had a full time crew of 4 gardeners.
there was standing room only at all home football games.
the Comets played in the final game of the city football play-offs.
the length of a skirt was carefully measured to make sure it was not too short.
Ms. Kilmurray.....I used to grade papers in the back of a 707



Mrs. Earick as a beginning teacher at WHS



Ms. Kilmurray when she flew with Western Airlines on the weekends and taught English at WHS during the week



Fern Earick
Career Advisor



Sue Elmer
Finance Office



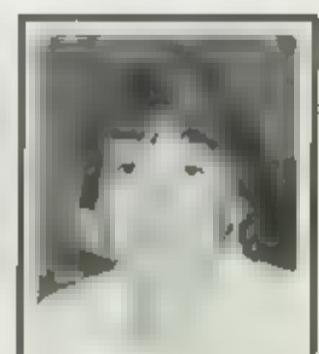
Jim Furumasu
Finance Office Manager



Ellen Hannan
Nurse



Joseph Hughey
Athletic Director



Jean Kilmurray
Librarian



Gene Jacobson Security



Gail Gorvey Guidance



Walter Martin Security



Yvonne Homan
Main Office



Marilyn Albertson
Attendance Officer



Sylvia Reuter
Counseling Officer



Donna Michaelson
Teaching - Payroll



Gary Oakley
Career Guidance Officer



Lila Jeanne Arneson
Counseling Officer



Thelma Greenway
Library



Blanche Quisenberry
Attendance Officer



Betty Stevens
Dr. G. Resource Assistant



Mr. Matt
Foreign Languages



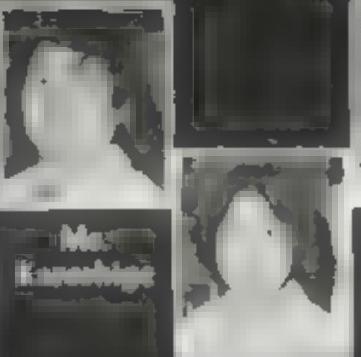
Eleanor Neukom
Instructional Aide for
Cerebral Palsy Children



Mrs. Taylor
Supervisor



Mr. Minns
Gardens Manager



Mrs. Knowledge



Mrs. Gower



Mrs. Gifford



Mrs. Miller



Mrs. Neukom
Not pictured:
Mr. J. Alstad
Mr. G. Beggell
Mr. K. Brown
Mr. R. Colley
Teacher Assistant
Not pictured:
Mr. D. Hargan



Mrs. Johnson
Supervisor



Mr. Amundson



Mr. Lombard



Mr. Coughlin



Mr. Paul



Mrs. Smithson

ADMINISTRATIVE
Personnel
Manager



Mr. Hayes

In Loving Memory of



Do not stand at my grave, and weep,
I am not there; I did not sleep.
I am a thousand winds that blow,
I am the diamond's glint on snow,
I am the sunlight on ripened grain,
I am the gentle summer's rain.

When you awaken in the morning light
And the world is uplifiting music of quiet birds
In circled flight,

Then the lost song that you loved so well
Will stand at my grave and sing
For me there I do not sleep.

Anonymous

Looking back

The year 1955 marked the beginning of a new era for Westchester High School. What is now Orville Wright Junior High School was Westchester High. Grades in attendance were from 7th through 12th, with an enrollment which totaled 380.

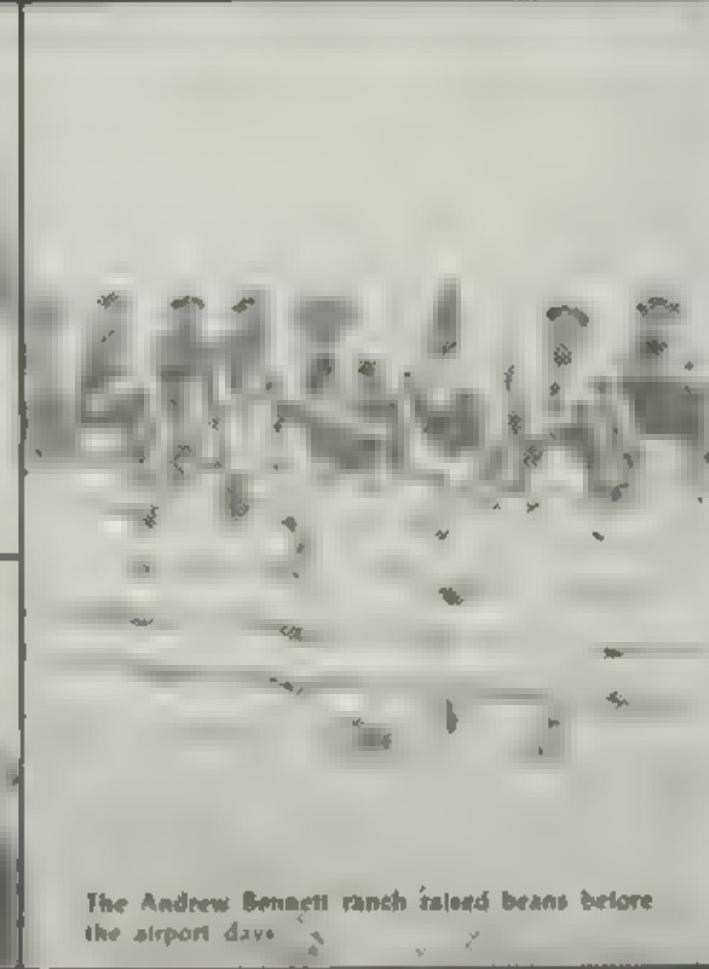
As the community grew, so did the need for a larger school. Chosen as a site for the new campus was a bean field located off of Manchester Avenue. Soon this was to become the home of "Willie Westchester" and years of true and undying Comet spirit. In the fall of 1956, Westchester High School opened its doors for the first time to an enrollment of over 2000 students!



The joy of a motorized horse on Manchester in 1927



The Andrew Bennett ranch, circa 1927



The Andrew Bennett ranch raised beans before the airport days





Photo's by Francis Waddingham, former WHS Photo Teacher

Westchester's early years

So Westchester Senior High School has now achieved its 25th birthday! Congratulations are in order. It has lived through one of the most exciting and even dangerous epochs of the world's own history and survived with perhaps a moment to pause and look back a bit. Let's see what went on before ground was broken for the buildings which were completed and turned over to the L A City Board of Education with a ceremony held in our beautiful auditorium in 1956.

To begin with, what of the land on which this school plant was built? Few realize that this area was once part of a Spanish Land Grant which, by various purchases, ultimately consisted of 25,000 acres, which included sites of seven Centinela Valley and beach cities in part. Chief water source of the time, in the early 1800's, was Centinela Springs, and from the ranch headquarters at Centinela Adobe, extensive dry farming spread out to cover the now Westchester area as far as the ocean.

Wheat raised in this area was shipped from Port Ballona, now Playa del Rey, from a wharf now long gone. Even a railroad ran through the ranch, from Santa Monica to the Port of Los Angeles where a mile long wharf competed with facilities at San Pedro, until a heavy storm settled the rivalry in favor of San Pedro by washing away the wharf at Santa Monica. Later, an electric line ran through part of the ranch area from Inglewood to Venice and tied in with other lines which all became part of the Pacific Electric system.

Even a hog ranch existed until the early 1940's near what is now Manchester and La Tijera. On foggy nights it served as a beacon and navigational aid to those of us who drove out Manchester to find our way home to beach cities. The median strip dividing Manchester was, as a part of the condition of sale of land for the highway, to be left in perpetuity as a horse trail!

Probably few of our present day students would know that during the 1950's we were next door to the Army. During this period there was a Nike Missile site operating off Pershing Drive, and one of the Radar Tracking and aiming control units was next door to us at the west end of the administration building.

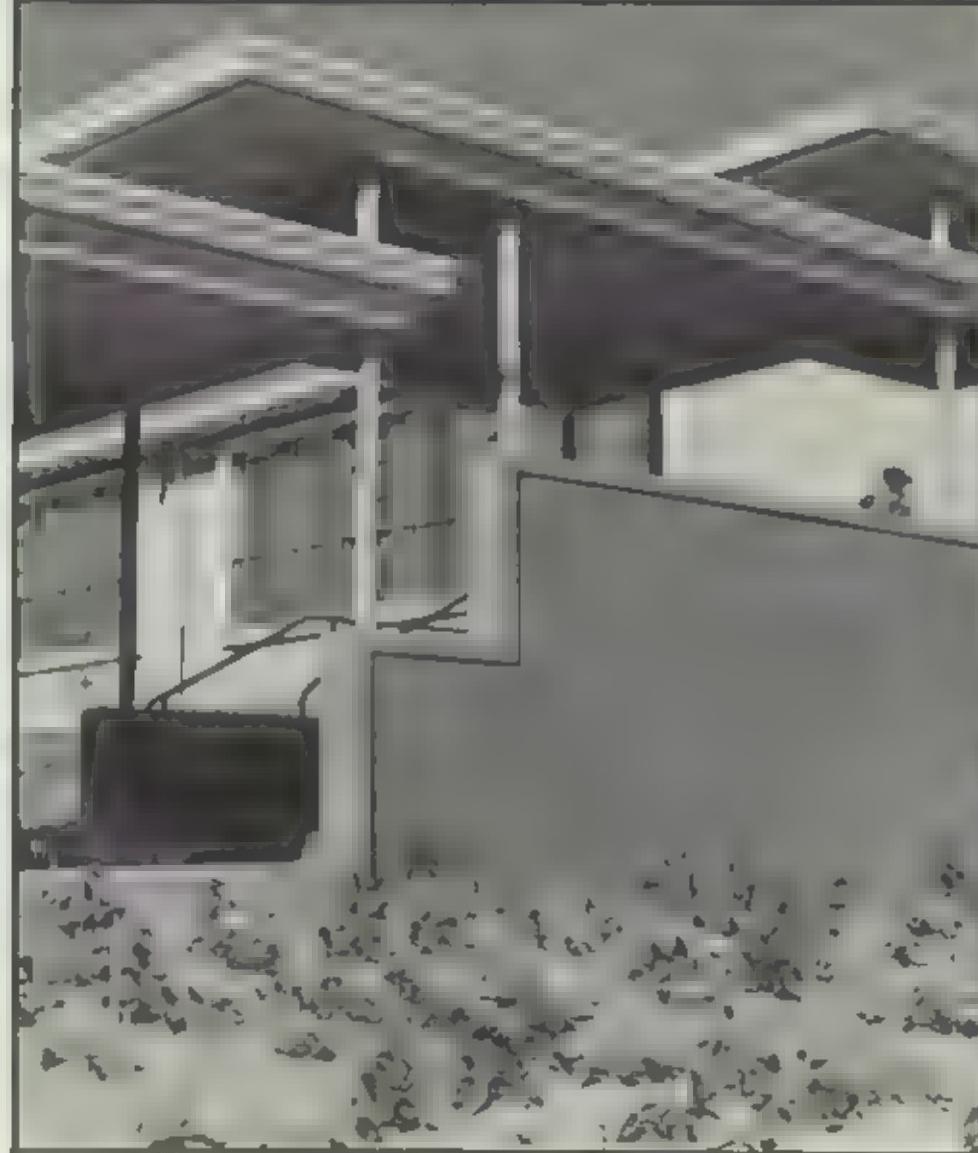
As the space age exploded upon us with the sputnik flight, we felt the impact in our school, as emphasis on physical science, mathematics, and related activities became very pronounced. We were fortunate that we received great help as our neighboring space related industries cooperated in organizing and presenting special activities to stimulate interest and aid in the educational programs.

Of course, we are constantly reminded of the presence of the aircraft industry; but how much do we appreciate our part in its history? At times, I can remember, we had to have "take off breaks" when classes simply had to pause until some heavily loaded plane climbed for altitude on taking off from the North Runway, and got far enough out over Santa Monica Bay so that conversation and hearing could resume.

However, during such a pause, one could well think about the first around the world flight, leaving Clover Field, Santa Monica in 1923, or the Zeppelin landing at Mines Field in 1929 on its' world flight. And the DC 3 and the long string of aviation and space achievements in which we and our friends and families have been a part. Think about it. Just a hundred years ago this area was just a huge wheat field, and had just converted to dry farming because a drought had killed off thousands of sheep that had been the ranch activity of the then owner Daniel Freeman, for whom Freeman Hospital is named.

It has been a great time to have lived. In my lifetime it has meant practically from the horse and buggy era through the Space Age. Just think what part this school can play in the life of the country during the next 25 years.

Francis Waddingham
Original WHS Science
and photography teacher



Photo's by Francis Waddingham, former WHS
Photo Teacher

Looking back



Didn't Amily start out peaceful like this?



We're being invaded!



Charlie's Angels?



You should've seen the girl I went out with last night



and they look so coordinated down on the field



A doughnut break.



You're never going to believe what happened



Partying will do that to you Doug!



Do you know her? . . . no way!

And that's the way it is

This is your life



Hard to believe this is smog filled LA



A Hi C and a smile?



What are you laughing at? You can't even see the book!



This chemistry is so exciting!



This is a future graduate?



Sue and Loft . . . The highlight of their year



To be or not to be



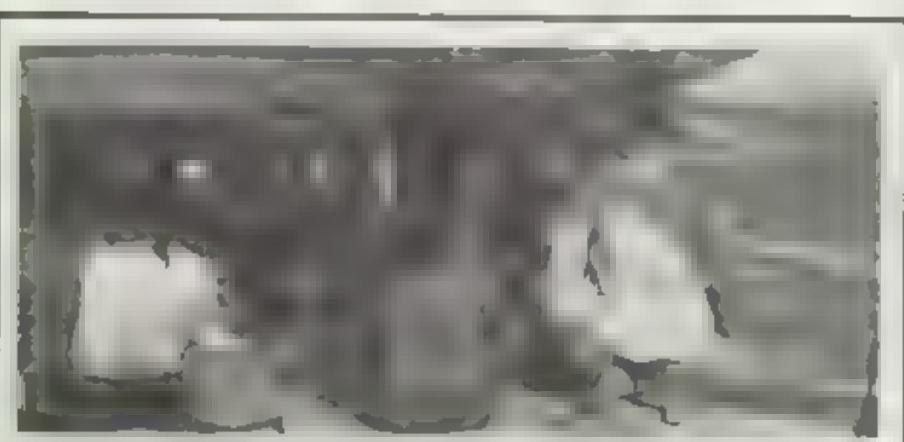
Hey we sprung a leak!



They are both #1



The face of a scholar



Gossip session #9 443.619

Days at Westchester



We got legs!



Where's the G building? I'm lost!



Snacking good pizza



Now this is how to make your typical sack lunch



Heavy



Hey you guys, I got a date!



Come on guys, blow harder



It's locked. I already tried



This is my best side



next please

Yearbook Staff



Front Row Pam Art, Kristie Anderson, Donna Balfour. Second Row Cathie Cavaliere, the girl with the hair, Laurie Varner, Vicki Brulyan, Dana Klatte, Theresa Baker, Carol Lyon. Third Row Mrs. Birch.

What a year! Looking back over 1980-81, it would be almost impossible to recap all the events in such a small space. It seemed as though everything that could have gone wrong did, but we pulled through. All the time and dedication that went into the making of the annual were well worth it. It's a unique experience, one which everyone who participated will never forget. It is truly rewarding to see the finished product and to be proud to say that you yourself were a part of creating a masterpiece.



Trying to look professional



Huh? The deadline was last week.



What's funny, Carol?



You have got to be kidding



Yearbook just drove me up the wall



Ship Ahoy?



I'm so confused!



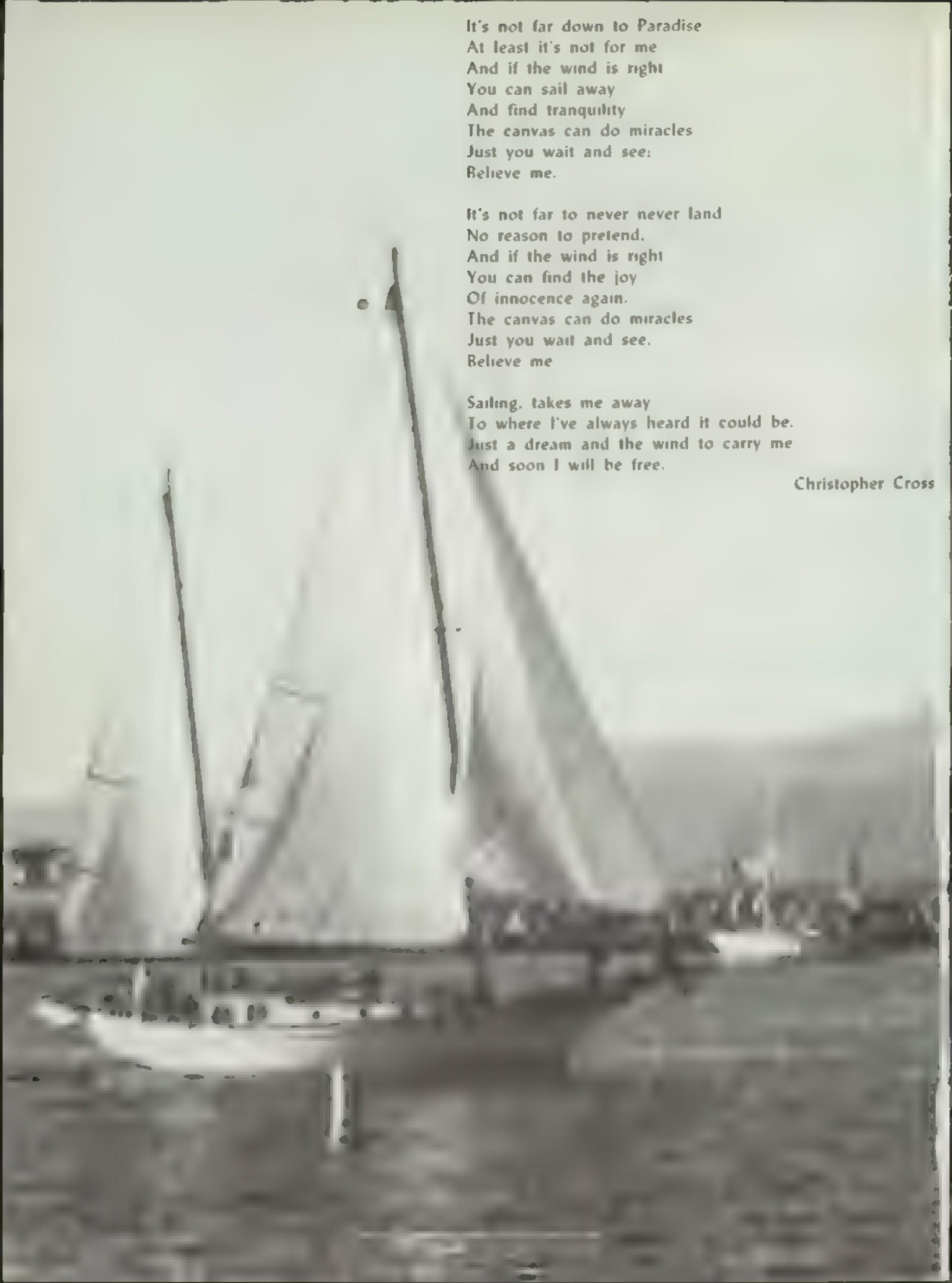
I'm just hanging around



The Fleet's in!



Caught in the act!



It's not far down to Paradise
At least it's not for me
And if the wind is right
You can sail away
And find tranquility
The canvas can do miracles
Just you wait and see:
Believe me.

It's not far to never never land
No reason to pretend.
And if the wind is right
You can find the joy
Of innocence again.
The canvas can do miracles
Just you wait and see.
Believe me

Sailing, takes me away
To where I've always heard it could be.
Just a dream and the wind to carry me
And soon I will be free.

Christopher Cross

~~I'm so sorry I
can't do it once.
I am so glad I met you
you are very sweet but you
had a lot of fear when this. I don't want
you to never have this. I'll make you
feel better because I will
do this but because of you
Be here and I will
Be with you but you
up until~~

P.S. I hope you
keep in playing
softball and maybe
you will be able to
do ~~two~~ things at once

Carolyn
is a very intelligent,
cute young lady.
But we made it through
Geometry, finally I loved
it. Good luck
with the College. Please
keep in touch 649-0011
Timothy Bell
T.B.

To Carolyn:
a person I met in math
even if you're sweet short
and... I still like you. I'm
pretty sure I'll see you again
Kit 0714714

Quincy
RKA
Joker

To Carolyn a nice girl
you are very good
especially her work
she's good a player
lets see you later Palmer
have a great vacation

I'd Carolyn,
I know we'll
have fun at
Pepperdine and I am
looking forward to being
your roommate too. I
hope you have a nice
summer. It's been great to get
to see you in Pepperdine. You had
such a sweet self. I will
miss you so much. Will
see you again soon.
Together on our
for our room
Class of '81

Carolyn,
I am glad to
have known you
this year. I hope
you have a great
summer.

Yours truly,
Michael
Aoo Hoo

Carolyn,
College Pre-Seminar
sure could have been
a rather boring class,
but with you, Laura,
Angel, Julie, + John at
our table it was kind
of a joke! Goodluck
at whatever you may
do after high school.
Love,
Barb Lund

Carolyn,
It's been a great year,
but I still think that
"82" rules. Hope you have
fun in college
Have a great summer.

Craig Hall "81"

Carolyn,
It's been fun having
you in Spanish 9M
going to miss you
a lot. Keep playing
softball because you
really good at it.
Stay sweet and you
will always have my
friendship
Write to back
2227 Fairway B.
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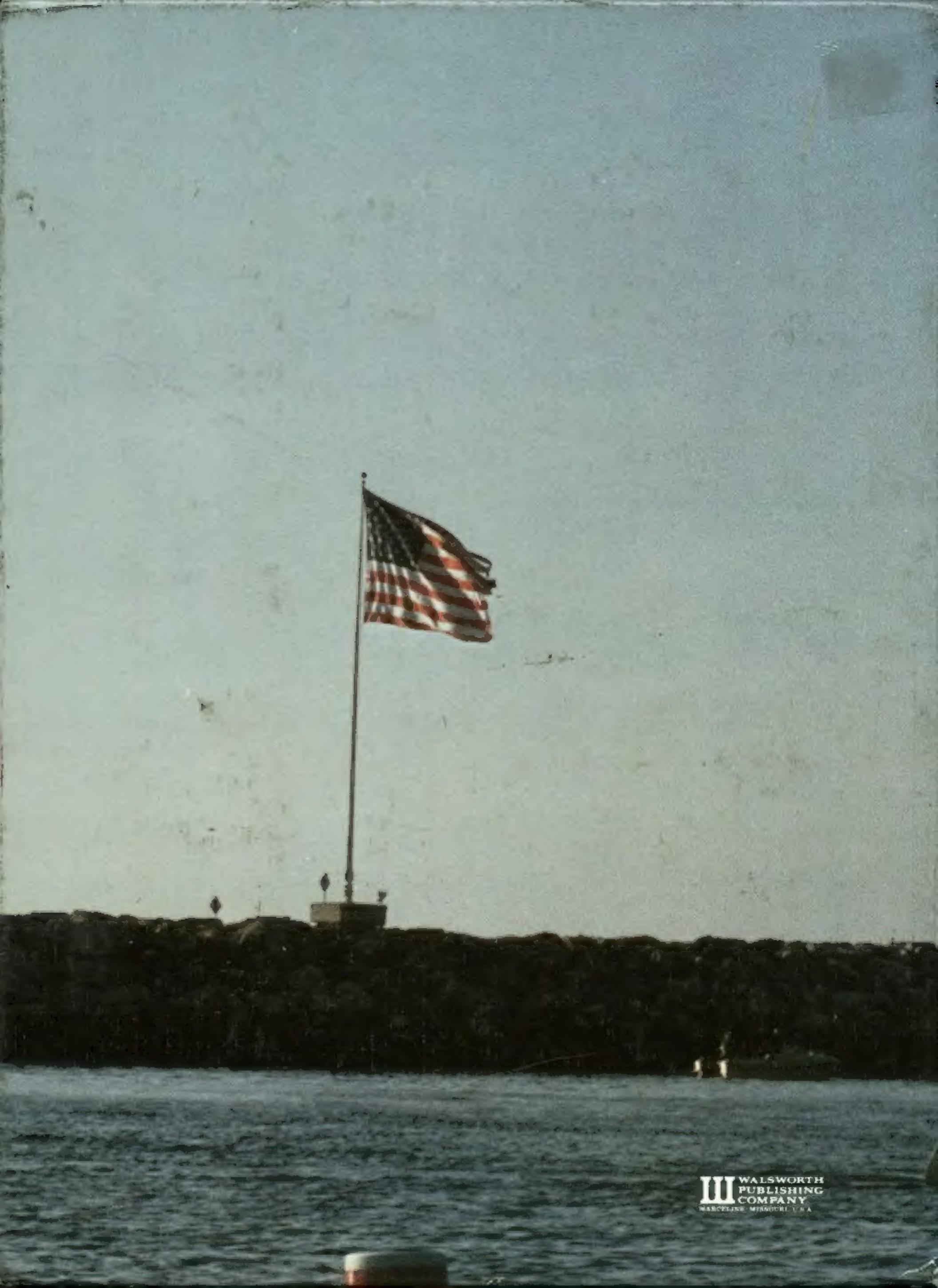
Love ya
Lori Ann Drake

Carolyn
I don't know you very well, but what I do know of you hanging around this year but you are all great. Keep picking those you hope to achieve all you no sisters, hope you know you will. friend wish you all the luck in the world. for Charlie Smith

To Carolyn
I just be speaking
We just had last last
and the weeks. You know every person
friends of weeks. You know every interesting
couple I got to know has been a interesting
couple I got to nice. I've been a student teacher
and a very it has been a English teacher
you care me student off you take luck me
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we both the be a good teacher.
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I want to see always
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